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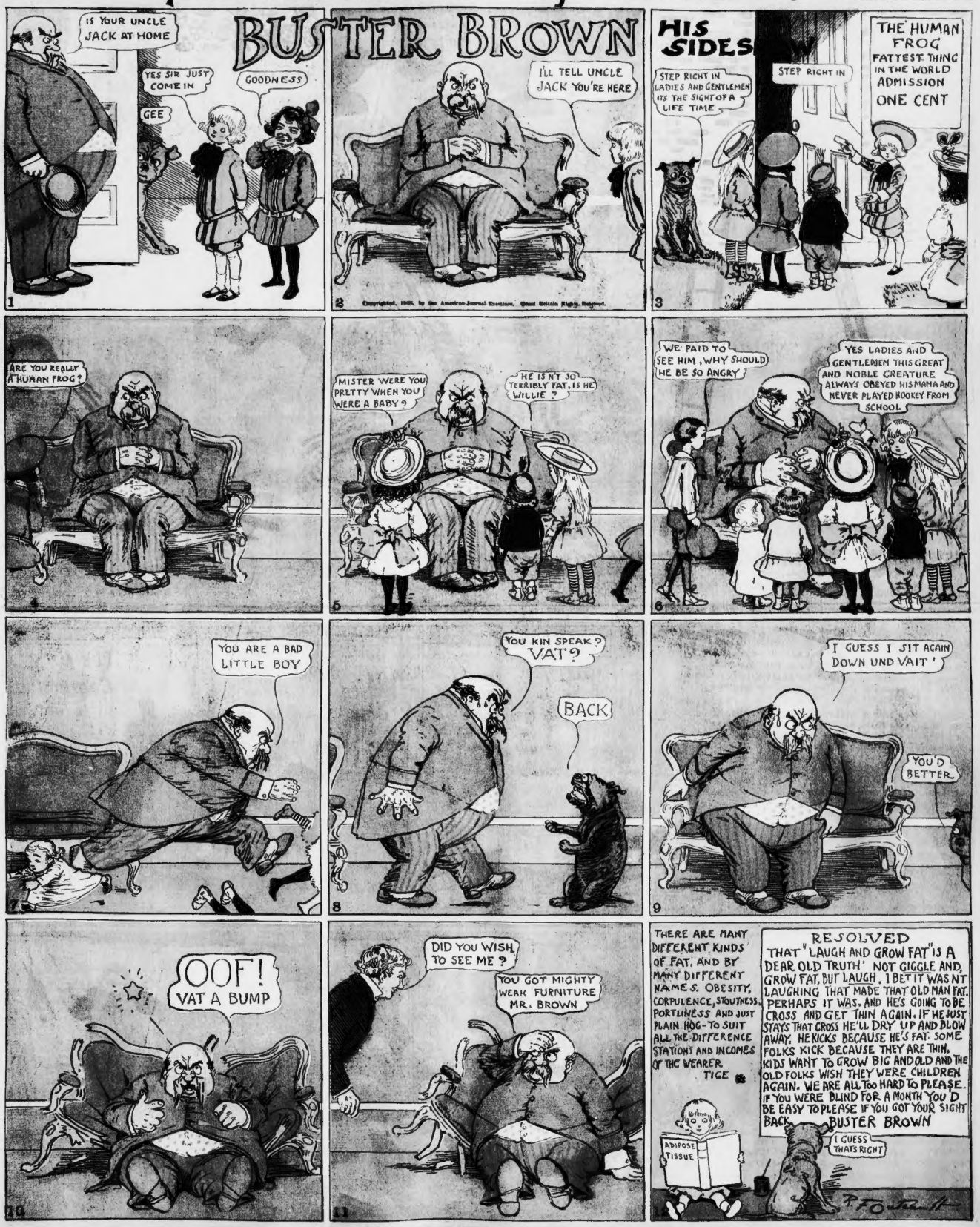
IS YOUR UNCLE JACK AT HOME
YES SIR JUST COME IN
GEE
GOODNESS
1
I'LL TELL UNCLE JACK YOU'RE HERE
2
HIS SIDES
STEP RIGHT IN LADIES AND GENTLEMEN ITS THE SIGHT OF A LIFE TIME
STEP RIGHT IN
THE HUMAN FROG FATTEST THING IN THE WORLD ADMISSION ONE CENT
3
ARE YOU REALLY A HUMAN FROG?
4
MISTER WERE YOU PRETTY WHEN YOU WERE A BABY?
HE IS'NT SO TERRIBLY FAT, IS HE WILLIE?
5
WE PAID TO SEE HIM, WHY SHOULD HE BE SO ANGRY
YES LADIES AND GENTLEMEN THIS GREAT AND NOBLE CREATURE ALWAYS OBEYED HIS MAMA AND NEVER PLAYED HOOKEY FROM SCHOOL
6
YOU ARE A BAD LITTLE BOY
7
YOU KIN SPEAK? VAT?
BACK
8
I GUESS I SIT AGAIN DOWN UND VAIT'
YOU'D BETTER
9
OOF! VAT A BUMP
10
DID YOU WISH TO SEE ME?
YOU GOT MIGHTY WEAK FURNITURE MR. BROWN
11
THERE ARE MANY DIFFERENT KINDS OF FAT, AND BY MANY DIFFERENT NAMES. OBESITY, CORPULENCE, STOUTNESS, PORTLINESS AND JUST PLAIN HOG - TO SUIT ALL THE DIFFERENCE STATIONS AND INCOMES OF THE WEARER.
TIGE
RESOLVED THAT "LAUGH AND GROW FAT" IS A DEAR OLD TRUTH' NOT GIGGLE AND GROW FAT, BUT LAUGH. I BET IT WAS NT LAUGHING THAT MADE THAT OLD MAN FAT. PERHAPS IT WAS. AND HE'S GOING TO BE CROSS AND GET THIN AGAIN. IF HE JUST STAYS THAT CROSS HE'LL DRY UP AND BLOW AWAY. HE KICKS BECAUSE HE'S FAT. SOME FOLKS KICK BECAUSE THEY ARE THIN. KIDS WANT TO GROW BIG AND OLD AND THE OLD FOLKS WISH THEY WERE CHILDREN AGAIN. WE ARE ALL TOO HARD TO PLEASE. IF YOU WERE BLIND FOR A MONTH YOU D BE EASY TO PLEASE IF YOU GOT YOUR SIGHT BACK. BUSTER BROWN
ADIPOSE TISSUE
I GUESS THATS RIGHT
P. F. Outcault

THE LOVE OF LULU AND LEANDER

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1. LEANDER: "Ye gods! I've had enough of these hard luck postponements of our marriage. I'm going to take the bull by the horns! No more delay! I'm going to insist that Lulu elope."

2. LULU: "Oh, Leander, what does this mean! What foolish blunder are you about to make now?"
LEANDER: "Lulu, my patience is at an end. You must marry me at once. Come, get on your things and fly with me. My carriage is waiting."

3. LULU: "Oh, Leander!"
LEANDER: "W-E-E-E-O-W!"
POPPER: "I thought I heard a noise! What's all this? Who said fly? Great Scott! BURGLARS!"

4. LULU: "Oh, Leander, LOOK OUT! You are killing Popper! Oh, Leander, why, oh WHY did you do it?"
LEANDER: "W-E-E-O-O-O-F!"
POPPER: "HELP! MURDER! THIEVES! Ye gods! It's that lobster Leander—I know his voice."

5. POPPER: "Your engagement and wedding with Lulu is off forever. Skidoo! 23!"
LULU: "Oh, I knew it would come to this."
LEANDER: "Ye gods! Romance and Love! BOSH! Me for the silent tomb!"

Seen Maud?

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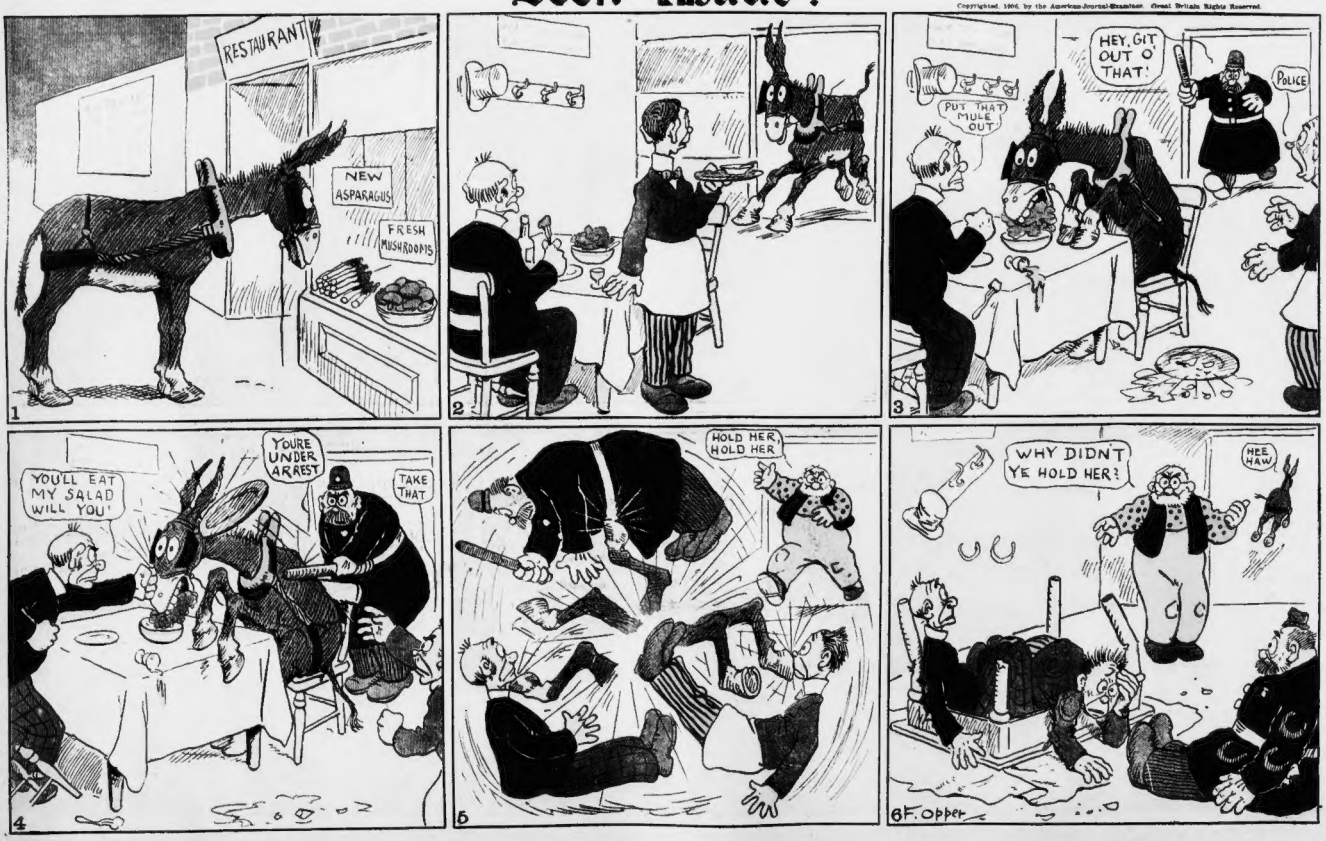

HAPPY HOOLIGAN AND THE COP—THE NAUGHTY COP!

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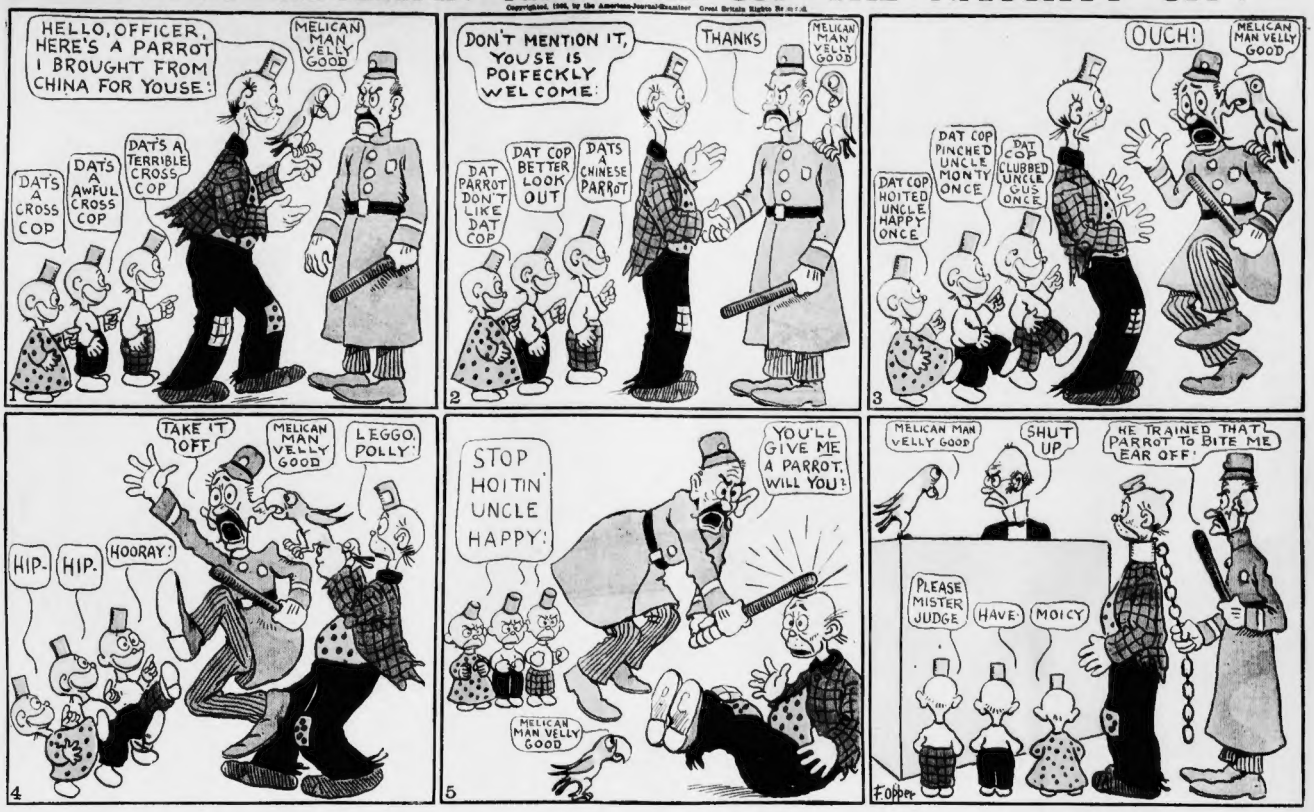

"SOUL FLASHES"

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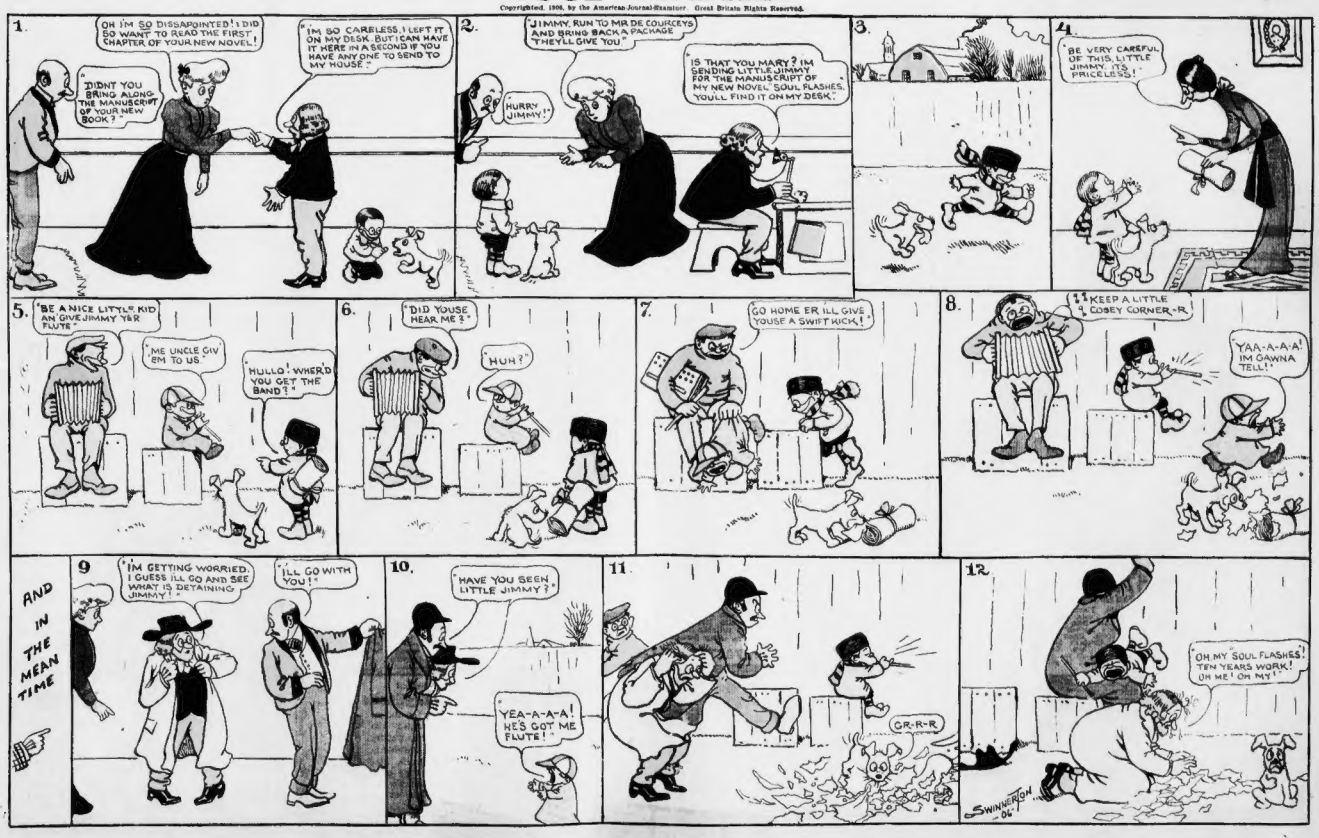
1.
OH I'M SO DISSAPOINTED! I DID SO WANT TO READ THE FIRST CHAPTER OF YOUR NEW NOVEL!
"DIDNT YOU BRING ALONG THE MANUSCRIPT OF YOUR NEW BOOK?"
"I'M SO CARELESS. I LEFT IT ON MY DESK. BUT I CAN HAVE IT HERE IN A SECOND IF YOU HAVE ANY ONE TO SEND TO MY HOUSE."
2.
"JIMMY, RUN TO MR DE COURCEYS AND BRING BACK A PACHAGE THEY'LL GIVE YOU."
HURRY JIMMY!
"IS THAT YOU MARY? IM SENDING LITTLE JIMMY FOR THE MANUSCRIPT OF MY NEW NOVEL 'SOUL FLASHES.' YOULL FIND IT ON MY DESK."
3.
4.
"BE VERY CAREFUL OF THIS, LITTLE JIMMY. IT'S PRICELESS!"
5.
"BE A NICE LITTLE KID AN GIVE JIMMY YER FLUYE"
"ME UNCLE GIV EM TO US"
HULLO! WHERD YOU GET THE BAND?
6.
"DID YOUSE HEAR ME?"
"HUH?"
7.
"GO HOME ER ILL GIVE YOUSE A SWIFT KICK!"
8.
"KEEP A LITTLE 4 COSEY CORNER-R"
YAA-A-A-A! IM GAWNA TELL!
AND IN THE MEAN TIME
9
"IM GETTING WORRIED. I GUESS ILL GO AND SEE WHAT IS DETAINING JIMMY!"
"ILL GO WITH YOU!"
10.
"HAVE YOU SEEN LITTLE JIMMY?"
YEA-A-A-A! HE'S GOT ME FLUTE!
11.
GR-R-R
12.
"OH MY SOUL FLASHES! TEN YEARS WORK! OH ME! OH MY!"
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DER CAPTAIN CATCHES A BIG FISH!

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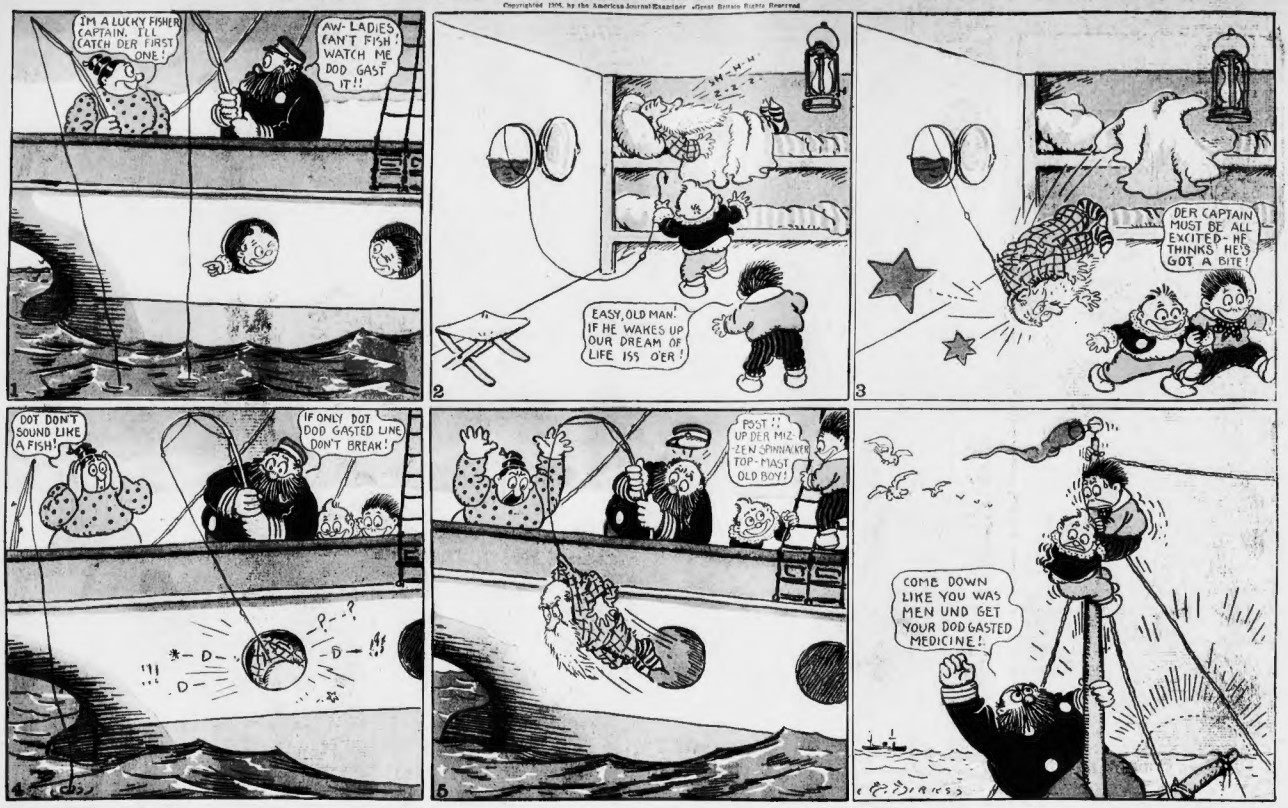
IM A LUCKY FISHER CAPTAIN. I'LL CATCH DER FIRST ONE!
AW- LADIES CAN'T FISH! WATCH ME DOD GAST IT!!
1
M-M-M
2-2-2
EASY, OLD MAN! IF HE WAKES UP OUR DREAM OF LIFE ISS O'ER!
2
DER CAPTAIN MUST BE ALL EXCITED- HE THINKS HE'S GOT A BITE!
3
DOT DON'T SOUND LIKE A FISH!
IF ONLY DOT DOD GASTED LINE DON'T BREAK!
4
POST!! UP DER MIZ-ZEN SPINNAKER TOP-MAST OLD BOY!
5
COME DOWN LIKE YOU WAS MEN UND GET YOUR DOD GASTED MEDICINE!
6

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The End of Lent.

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THE AUTOMOBILE—MONARCH OF THE WORLD

By the MARQUIS DE DION.

The Eminent French Promoter of the Automobile.

SUPPOSE it to be the year of the automobile, 1930.

Let us take the aspect of our towns first.

It is Paris: the Place de l'Opera; the time is 5 o'clock in the morning. The late "night birds," the litters of the clubs, who have just left the gaming tables with the dawn, the nocturnalists of joy, are leaping into the automobiles which stand waiting for them. The mechanician in his seat pushes a lever. The motors depart.

But already the automobile street sweepers and the automobile street sprinklers are filing along the length of the boulevards. In the twinkling of an eye the thoroughfares are purified and made healthful. Paris is rubbing its eyes, yawning and awakening. And here, in fact, behold the first trucks appearing to gather up the refuse of the kitchens and the factories. From door to door watch them go, swiftly, surely; a little mechanical wind has governed from the motor hoists each receptacle to the height of the wagon, to descend again for the next garbage pail after its screaming of lifting and whirling. This harrowing of the great city's refuse is going on all over, rapidly, completely.

The huge milk wagons coming from the suburbs at the rate of fifteen miles an hour are bringing us our morning breakfast, while the trucks of the bakers, who, during the night have reached the markets with their huge burdens of carrots and cabbages and salad leaves and what not, are returning with all celerity again to the country and the farms.

Seven o'clock! Then all Paris is really wide awake; the day has begun; from one end of the city to the other all is life, life intense, strenuous, frenzied. The auto omnibuses, three times again as quickly as their schedule of to-day, empty their forces from all the outlying quarters of the town, the humdrum army of clerks and petty employes by thousands and tens of thousands.

Other auto buses speed to the outskirts and speed back again, bringing in less than ten minutes the workmen of Paris to their shops. Every one of them has been able to snatch an extra half hour of blessed sleep as against our benighted omnibuses drawn by limpish horses.

And now consider the letter-carriers, who are gathered at the great central office where all the postal matter for Paris is received. In light, agile motor mail wagons they are scattered with their mail in one quarter of an hour in all the eighty quarters of the vast city. The first mail will be entirely distributed by half-past 7 o'clock. The newspaper kiosks are already open. All the journals have been spread over all Paris in twenty minutes after they have left the presses. And, furthermore, the newspaper automobiles of all the great dailies have an hour before delivered at the railway stations all the editions for the country. Leaving by the same trains as in the times when horses were used for the same service, the newspapers have been able to receive and publish the news of the entire world a half an hour later. The value of this thirty minutes gained is irrefutable in the eyes of newspaper people, and incalculable, too, to their subscribers.

The shops are opening; the waiters in the restaurants, their eyes still heavy with sleep, are dusting up. And from every corner of the street surge the auto wagons of delivery. There is no longer any piece of business of any consideration which has not its own motor runabout. They glide, quick and nimble, steal about and worm themselves everywhere, and every one of them supplies the place of ten shop boys of the stores of other times.

In the hubbub and nidst all these errand motors there begin to be noticed now the fudispensable miniature machines, veritable playthings almost, that one buys for the price of a motor-cyclette in 1906. The dust which powders them or the mud which has spattered over their wheels and fenders show that they have thus early done a good bit of travelling.

This motorette, in fact, is his little gray bag which has whisked its owner into town in a fifty from away out in the country. Since to its surety and speed, and because one does not have to feed it with oats, your little shopkeeper or mechanic is now able to live under the blue sky among the fields, where he has a nice comfortable cottage all his own. And for his convenience, too, there is now in every street in town a stable or garage or a court sheltered for the purpose where one may put up his cab-bout till evening comes, unless he happens to use it or hire it out for an afternoon spin on business or pleasure. At night he is off again and home at a very considerable saving of time as against the old times.

The country butcher and the country baker whose clientage may extend all about to several miles sometimes each also has his own little motor delivery cart, in which he blithesomely gets nicely over the ground at a pretty twenty miles an hour.

And finally there are the changes that have come about in agriculture. How conditions have been modified and improved for the farmer since the motor came into its own. The tollers in the field have found in it in their work a powerful auxiliary which has simplified their labors in a most extraordinary manner. Where formerly twenty hands were necessary during entire months, one has now one machine and one conductor during a few days. The motor has revolutionised our agriculture.

But it is necessary to take a look elsewhere in considering the profound penetration of motor power into all branches of life and all conditions of civilization. If in the town—if in the country—the motor is being put to every usage conceivable, it is to the army itself we must look to find perhaps its most stupendous service. Grace to the motor, modern strategy has been tremendously modified, and cavalry has utterly disappeared. Artillery has become extraordinarily lively and the commissariat can revictual an army with a surenese and rapidity than was never dreamt of till the safety thus was developed in the motor. Today, the indispensable collaborator with the modern god of battles.

Two or three times during the past ten years there have taken place valuable experiments in mobilisation and the automobiles of our biggest manufacturers as well as those of private parties have been pressed into requisition just as formerly were horses, and in a few hours they were massed at the frontier, a formidable force both by their numbers and the celerity of their evolutions.

As to the artillery, it counts at the present moment a vast number of celebrated rapid fire guns in armor which are capable of 30 miles speed over good roads, and 20 miles an hour over rough. The conductor drives without being seen, while the artillerymen themselves are hidden in their "disappearing turret." The whole outfit the men, the gun, the motive machinery of the apparatus—all are absolutely out of reach of ball or shrapnel, which strike and flatten themselves out like spit balls upon the special blinds of armor which incase the machine, and are absolutely invulnerable. These particular automobile armored guns can betake themselves from one point of the field of battle to another with a speed that is dizzying, succor a menaced wing, reinforce the next moment a body of soldiery that is just losing its advantage, recover the advantage and in an incredibly short time assure a victory.

As to the infantry, the automobile is forever now its precious, its invaluable aid. Twenty years ago, and the troops were handicapped and delayed always by the indispensable convoys of munitions for the guns and provisions for the stomach.

Now we have military supply wagons, motor cars strong and quick and regular which follow the columns without embarrassment to them, sometimes even preceding them when it is necessary, and working in a radius of action of a very great extent. The impedimenta which used in other times to so discommode marching infantry is among the things that were.

When a halt is called, the soldier gets his warm soup. He is no longer compelled as he used to be to make it himself in his little pot which he carried for the purpose in his knapsack. In short, each company, like each battery of artillery, etc. has his rolling automobile kitchen on wheels, which has found en route the beef and vegetables necessary for its preparation, all the time rolling along with the regiment—and cooking the good hot soup which will make your soldier forget his fatigue and fit for fighting the next day. Do not smile. It has been found that a soldiers beliyful of good, hot soup has had a decisive effect on the fortunes of war.

Moreover, thanks, and yet again thanks, to the new automobile, the officers who are in charge of directing and coordinating all movements of the troops can, with the help of the military motor be in all parts of the field almost at the same time, to see everything that is going on from all important points; run hither and thither about the battle ground with amazing swiftness; reach in the twinkling of an eye wherever their presence is imperative. They have at their disposal the best perfected motors put into requisition the first day of the mobilization; they are steered by the most famous champions of the big motor competitions for speed and endurance, some among them even who won their triumphs in the now defunct Gordon Bennett tournaments.

So the whole fabric of the army has been revolutionized. Modern tactics have completely new means at its disposal, and powerful means which it knows how to efficiently employ, owing to all the successive esprriments in the national drills which have been held each year from 1910 or 1915.

MARQUIS DE DION.

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In a Very Few Years Automobiles Will Have Become Terrible Engines of War Which Will Cut Through a Future Field of Battle as if They Were Like So Many Huge Human Battering Rams, Thunder and Lightning on Wheels.

On the Way to Market—When All the Products of the Farm Are Fetched from the Country Quick, Fresh and Direct to Town by Gigantic Motor Wagons.

In 1930 All Street Locomotion Will Be Automobile, and Any One of the Great Arteries of Paris, for Example, Will Look Like This. Bridges Will Have to Be Built Across the Streets for That Very Rare Thing, the Pedestrian.

The Monsters of Iron in Future War—Armored and Formidable by Their Swiftness and Power and Full of Men and Guns—Will Roll Through the Enemy's Troops Like Thunderclaps, Scattering Destruction.

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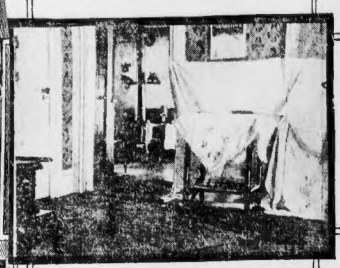
DO YOU KNOW THIS SKULL?

Charles D. Northy, who was shot, and his skull, gruesomely exhibited in court.



Dining room in the Cooper residence where the shooting occurred—the small table stands where the prosecution says young Northy was sitting in a rocking chair.

The Strikingly Gruesome Way in Which the Mysterious Killing of Charles Northy Is Being Dramatized in a Maine Court at the Trial of Mrs. Cooper for Murder

IN these enlightened times it is still lawful to put human beings to the torture—even to torture a woman. The horrors of the Inquisition of the Middle Ages, when the victim's bones were crushed with the thumbscrew or his limbs broken on the wheel, were not more frightful as practised in those black-draped secret chambers, than the frightful, prolonged mental torture which men and women suffer in modern courts of justice.

Repeatedly during the last three weeks, in the Criminal Court of Augusta, Me., a delicate and refined young woman, charged with murder on purely circumstantial evidence, has been subjected to such torture as this. At times she has borne it with unflinching courage; at other times she has wept, wrung her hands, cried out, swooned. And still the torture continues in a chamber crowded with men and women with avid eyes and ears.

The supreme moment of Sardou's great drama, "La Tosca," when the heroine is compelled to listen to the shrieks of the man she loves, whose torture must go on until she yields to his rival, is considered to represent the limit of mental anguish possible of portrayal on the stage. It is more than La Tosca can bear; she succumbs. Yet, in this Maine court room mental torture no less poignant has been borne again and again by frail, young, refined Mrs. Alice F. Cooper, who is on trial charged with the murder of the youth—little more than a boy—who loved her and whom she confessed she loved.

Alone in Her House.

All the facts that are known are brought out in these torture scenes in the Augusta court room, where, before the Judge and the jury, the supposed scene of the murder is set with all the skill of a stage director.

When the shot was fired that stretched young Charles D. Northy dead at the feet of Mrs. Cooper, only these two were in her house—there were no other witnesses of the tragedy, nor of the scene which preceded it.

The theory of the prosecution is: That the husband of Mrs. Cooper, though having the fullest confidence in her fidelity to himself, became impatient of the gossip of neighbors, and asked her to cease receiving young Northy except in the presence of others; that she summoned the young man to her house for a final interview; that she was really infatuated with him, and that, when he called in response to her summons, in a transport of jealous love she killed him, being unable to endure the thought of his marrying Miss Marion Carey, the girl to whom he was engaged.

When arrested and arraigned Mrs. Cooper pleaded "not guilty." Although indicted, she was admitted to bail, and continued, seemingly undismayed by the terrible charge hanging over her, her customary duties as a good housewife, mother of two [illegible] and an active church worker. Three weeks ago the prolonged torture began, when she was placed on trial.

The trial was heralded as Maine's most celebrated murder inquiry. The trial judge was to be Henry C. Peabody, Associate Justice of the Supreme Court. Foremost in the prosecution was Hannibal E. Hamlin, Attorney-General [illegible] resourceful, aggressive Thomas Leigh. Prosecuting Attorney for the county—Kennebec. Herbert M. Heath. In the front rank of lawyers at the criminal bar of Maine, was attorney for Mrs. Cooper.

The trial began with crowded court room, women predominating—women who had criticised Mrs. Cooper among themselves, yet had not held themselves aloof from her. Each day slender little Mrs. Cooper, exquisitely neat and tidy, is escorted into court by her faithful husband. She bows and smiles to acquaintances and takes a seat beside her attorney just within the railed enclosure. Just outside the rail sits her husband—so near she can grasp his hand and whisper in his ear—as she does frequently.

Always at the opening of the court session Mrs. Cooper is apparently as serene as she is neat. It is hard for the audience to believe her a guilty woman. Soon the almost daily torture begins.

Apparently unmoved, she hears Thomas Leigh's coldly logical story of her infatuation and her crime, as the State conceives it. She cannot help observing the significant smiles and nods of women in the audience, which seem to say: "I told you as much." But she makes no sign—except to return the sympathetic pressure of her husband's hand over the rail.

Now there is a stir of expectation in court. Four men bring in something in a large square frame, followed by another with a rocking chair, and another with a door lifted from its hinges. The prosecution is arranging the space in front of the Judge to represent that part of Mrs. Cooper's sitting room where young Northy was found dying with a bullet hole through his head.

The frame contains a section taken from the wall containing a curtain draped window and bearing splashes of significant red. There is a dark stain on the arm of the rocker. In setting this tragedy stage the attorneys for the State are clumsy. Mrs. Cooper's attorney assists them. She seems only interested. Then she smiles and goes to their assistance.

"No, the curtains were not draped that way," she says in matter-of-fact tones—while several jurors gasp at her self-possession. "They were this way," and she deftly pins up the folds.

She Buys a Revolver.

The stage is set—now for testimony. It is not yet the time for putting Mrs. Cooper on the witness stand, but a court stenographer is ready with the statement he took down when Deputy Sheriff Pinkham interrogated her soon after the shooting. He reads his verbatim notes, in which Mrs. Cooper tells how young Northy lived for a year and a half in her house, as a member of the family, while he learned the trade of blacksmithing in her husband's shop; how his infatuation for her grew, and how her sympathy and affection for him increased while she strove to make him see matters in the right light.

When she finds it necessary to send for the boy to tell him finally that he can come to see her no more except when others are present, she has grown to fear that he will harm her. She buys a revolver and makes a pocket in her skirt to hold it. He comes. He puts his head down on the table and weeps. She soothes him and they had a last talk.

Q. What did you say to him and he to you. A. I said, "Now, Charlie, this is to be our last talk on this subject." I told him he must not come any more. Of course, I knew and he knew that he wanted me and couldn't have me. Of course, that was the only trouble. There was no other reason why he couldn't come. Nothing improper at all, but simply that. He said. "All right," I said. "Charley, don't you know that no good can come from a wrong?"

"Yes," he said, "I know we could never gain happiness." We kept on talking about this all the time.

Q. What happened next? A. As he got up to say good-bye and slipped his arm around me he felt the revolver and he quickly pulled it from my pocket. We both grabbed it and it must have gone off.

Q. You are sure it went off. A. Yes, sir, because I thought I was hit. I don't know how many times it went off.

Q. What did you do then? A. We wrestled for the revolver. Of course, he was stronger than I and in a minute he had it. Then I ran.

Q. What did you do after that? A. I rushed as fast as I could for my husband. I screamed, and he said that I said, "Charley has shot himself." I said either, "Charley is shot," or "is going to shoot himself," or that I was shot. I asked my husband to get a doctor.

The stenographic statement is rambling and full of repetitions. The audience is breathless. Mrs. Cooper grows whiter and whiter.

Now there are witnesses who describe how young Northey was found lying on the floor near the rocking chair. They describe the revolver bullet wound above the right temple, the blood on the wall, the blood on the arm of the rocker, the second bullet went through the door—the two empty chambers in Mrs. Cooper's weapon.

The Torture Begins.

Attorney Thomas Leigh is on his feet, to press home the contention that there was no struggle, that young Northy was sitting in the rocker; that Mrs. Cooper stood at a little distance, for the course of the bullet was downward and could not have ranged thus in a struggle.

He makes George Haddock—a young attorney on his staff—sit in the chair while he holds the revolver standing. He places Haddock on the floor near the chair, as the dying youth was found.

It is a tense moment. Mrs. Cooper shows the strain. She shudders and covers her eyes with her handkerchief.

But this is only the beginning of the torture. There are many witnesses. Day after day the gruesome stage settings occupies the space in front of the Judge—day after day there are additional details with ghastly illustrations.

One day when Mrs. Cooper's nerves are stretched to the breaking point the theory of the downward course of the bullet has fresh and ghastly illustrations. Dr. H. A. Sturtevant is on the stand—he made the autopsy. The eyes of Mrs. Cooper, though fascinated, are on every movement of the terrible County Attorney, Thomas Leigh. Suddenly from a place of concealment he takes and holds aloft a white and glistening human skull, with lower jaw and teeth intact. Mrs. Cooper seems turned to marble in her chair.

"Dr. Sturtevant, do you recognize this object?"

"I do: it is the skull of the late Charles D. Northy, Jr."

Mrs Cooper gasps. Her hand seeks that of her husband.

"Have you noted the course of the bullet?"

"I have. It entered above and a little back of the right temple, ranged downward and came out below and back of the left ear, lodging in muscles under the scalp."

"You say it ranged downward?"

"Necessarily."

"Could such a wound be made by a bullet from a revolver for the possession of which two persons were struggling when the shot was fired?"

"That would appear impossible."

The County Attorney holds the skull at the height of the head of a man sitting in the rocker, and asks:

"Now, doctor, could a person standing 4 pace or so distant so direct a bullet at a man's head in this position that it would have the range of the shot that pierced this skull?"

"That appears self-evident," Thomas Leigh's illustrations are nothing if not thorough. He produces a slender white pointer and thrusts it into the hole in the skull so that an end protrudes on each side.

With a gasp that is half a shriek Mrs. Cooper collapses, with her head on her husband's arm. The attorney is unmoved. He knows that the jurors note the direction of the white pointer.

After adjournment it is the gossip about the court that Mrs. Cooper is prostrated, that she can bear up under no more torture. But the next day she comes to court as usual, neat as ever, again serene. Perhaps she thinks the worst must be over. Events of the next hour woefully disappoint her. There are grisly details of illustration yet to come of which she has not dreamed.

Witnesses favorable to the defence have testified that there were burnt-powder marks in young Northy's hair near the spot where the bullet entered. These marks would tend to support Mrs. Cooper's statement that the shot was fired while the boy's hand was on the revolver—while the muzzle was within a few inches of his head.

The Acme of Horrors.

Dr. Sturtevant is recalled to the witness stand. Thomas Leigh questions him. The County Attorney has a paper-wrapped parcel in his hand, which Mrs. Cooper seems to view with apprehension. In fact, she has grown quite white.

"Doctor," begins Mr. Leigh, "after the body of young Northy was exhumed did you examine the scalp closely?"

"I did."

"Did you observe any powder marks in the hair near the entrance of the wound?"

"I did not."

"Please relate the circumstances of your examination."

The witness tells how he removed the scalp, together with the ears, noted the direction of the hole through the skull, found the bullet lodged under the scalp in muscles back of the left ear and removed it with pincers.

Mrs. Cooper is swaying in her chair. Attorney Leigh begins to unwrap his paper parcel. The tortured woman sees what he has there. She covers her eyes and moans and suddenly falls in a heap—to be cared for by her husband and attendants.

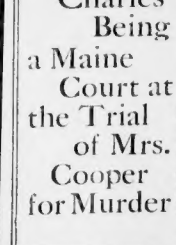
The cause of justice is not delayed by her collapse. Mr. Leigh produces a human scalp, with ears attached, which Dr. Sturtevant identifies as that of Charles D. Northy, Jr. He fits it on the skull. Witness and jurors—some of the latter quite white about their jaws—examine the ghastly exhibit. No, there are no powder marks.

Perhaps, out of sympathy for Mrs. Cooper, who is barely able to hold up her head, the court takes an early adjournment.

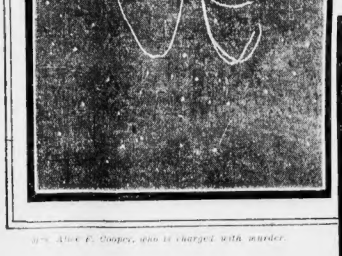
Thus goes the trial in this torture chamber—and the State is not yet through with the frail victim, which it accuses and racks with mental anguish.

People who crowd the court room to witness the torture find little to interest them in the probable outcome. Is Mrs. Cooper guilty? Will she go free? That is a matter of small interest compared with the daily spectacle of a woman put to the torture—lawful torture in the interest of justice, but torture none the less.

Mrs. Alice F. Cooper, who is charged with murder.



Miss Marion Carey, whom Northy was engaged to marry.



Exterior of the Cooper House, where Northy was killed.

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WHAT I SAW IN PARIS.

BY MRS. OSBORN

CREATOR OF FASHIONS FOR THE FASHIONABLE WOMEN OF AMERICA

We Are to Have Tiny Hats With a High Coiffure, and the Cutest Little Sleeves That Are Nothing More Than a Puff and a Wisp of Tulle, Narrow Pointed Trains, "Laceless" Shoes and Silver Flowered Slippers.

PARIS dominates the styles of this season, and Paquin dominates the styles of Paris.

Everything is Empire and to be paradoxically exact, what isn't Empire is called so.

On the boulevards of Paris only two weeks ago I saw women wearing street gowns in Empire lines; coats and jackets in Empire effects, and various evolutions of the little puffed Empire sleeves and long fitted armlets.

The American woman is cautious, in a measure, about adopting new fashions. The Frenchwoman plunges into them. On the whole, however, the American woman is better dressed, but I cannot say that her dressing is ever quite as complete as that of the Frenchwoman, who is made up to suit her costume from the topmost curl upon her coiffure to the point of her smart shoe.

Everything in dress being Empire it goes without saying that everything is entirely different from the styles that have obtained until now. We have different lines; different shapes; different trimmings and dress accessories, and we are absolutely different in dress from hat to shoe from the modes of last season.

The Long Sylph-Shaped Waist.

Perhaps nothing demonstrates this so well as the fact that the smart Parisian shops are selling $6.50 corsets for 50 cents and higher priced ones at a correspondingly reduction. All the lines of the figure—as it is made by a corset—have been changed. The lines begin very high up and extend way down below the hip. They are what might be termed sylphlike lines, full of curves and long undulations. These outlines carry both Empire and Princess dresses for the latter will be very much worn with short-waisted Empire effects.

We are not suddenly adopting the loose Empire gown, except in diaphanous materials. One gown I saw in Paris fits and has a lovely long skirt that hides and yet suggests a slender waist line. It is a most baffling gown to make, for unless hung with the highest degree of art it merely looks like an ill-fitting Princess.

What I noticed particularly in Paris were the new little pointed trains on the gowns for this season. They sharpened out in quite a point—they were so narrow—and hung about ice feet.

Among other striking things are the new skirt builds. I saw skirts nearly all plain—except for elaborate evening gowns—and they were not nearly so wide as those we have here, and all had a tendency to cling about the feet, besides clinging very positively about the hips. Practically all the new skirts fit over the hips; they are all long and nearly all trailed with the narrow, pointed train instead of the broad sweeping ones we have over here. Very little if any trimming is used upon skirts for day wear.

I was almost startled by seeing how sleeves have shrunk upward in Paris. Instead of three-quarters they now have elbow sleeves and even shorter lengths for day wear, while evening sleeves are most little puffs or bits of fancy trimming about the top of the arm. Often mere wisps of tulle furnish all the sleeve necessary, with outstanding ends at the back of the arm.

Yellow the Dominant New Color.

Yellow is the new smart color. I predicted this some weeks ago, since Paris styles have their forecasts, but in Paris everything is yellow. The thing I saw are the loveliest that art can produce and it is very soft that yellow seems too pronounced a name for them.

Instead of white gloves we will wear yellow ones, or pale tans in such cases as demand a glove different from the gown. Usually gloves match the gowns, but where they do not, some form of yellow will be used.

Another Parisian fancy that greatly impressed me is to have gloves, shoes, hat, belt, hosiery and a touch of trimming in the bodice to match each other and contrast with the gown worn. Parasols, on the contrary, match the dress.

We will all be wearing the new Paris things in the course of a very few days. Easter will see us arranged in our tiny hats or mushroom shapes in colored shoes, yellow gloves and all the paraphernalia which dressmakers have been bringing home from Paris by shipload.

While I say that all the modistes of Paris are making Empire costumes I must except Callot. This house has its own lines in which it clings as consistently as do all the other European houses to the lines established by Paquin. This being the case, one may have some variety in the cut of one's gown.

People have tired of lace, and white combinations, and in Paris I notice that the all-black dress has come into vogue again. It is very smart, indeed, and has even its stock and cheminette of black lace. In this connection Chantilly is much used, as it is very light and delicate in texture and has a thing feminine, soft and coquettish about the draping of a scarf, and these are becoming to young and old. They soften the lines of an old face and serve as a slimmer of frame to the bloom of a young one. Paris likely will own over Paris retried a network of laces and tissue and chiffon scarfs of lace and tissue and chiffon, and everything that is airy and delicate to drape about the head and throat.

Embroidered chiffon is more cute than the plain variety in Paris and, I may add, more expensive there as elsewhere. We, however, introduce portions of embroidered chiffon into a gown of the plain fabric and have just as charming results as though the whole gown were embroidered.

Shoes Must Match Gown.

One thing that Paris very positively asserts is that our shoes must match our gowns or contrast with them in such a manner as to be harmonious. If the gown is mauve the shoe must be mauve, or it may be of a contrasting tint, provided the hat, stockings and some of the trimming are of the color of the shoe.

We are always finding charming novelties in the gay French capital, and nothing is more marked as the combination of sharply contrasting colors with white. A yellow or tan colored dress will be seen with shoes, hose, hat, trimming and sometimes belt of brown. This brown note in a white costume or one of pale yellow is very marked. Light mauve will have all these accessories of deep violet or of some other color that contrasts well with the shade of mauve employed in the gown.

Perhaps the most peculiar feature of the season's fashions is the fact that all sorts of coats will be worn. Every year we have had some one dominant style of coat, or two, at most. This year the Parisian woman is going to wear pretty much any kind of coat she pleases, provided the sleeves are short.

I want to tell you one very important item of Paris news: All sleeves will be short. The very smart ones will reach to the elbow and the "second best" ones will be three-quarter length, but none of the new sleeves will be long. Of course, to all rules there are exceptions. There are outing and wet weather costumes whose nature necessitates sleeves of usual length, but these costumes all come under the head of special styles, and are not to be confounded with general styles that fit nearly all varieties of gowns.

As to elbow sleeves will be slightly full; very short and puffed, or fitted quite closely to the arm. The fitted sleeve is most chic, but is a dress rather than a coat sleeve.

In the way of smart coats there are long and short, loose, partly fitted and tight coats, with a general fancy for the short Eton and abbreviated bolero. These conform to the high-waisted gowns and give an Empire effect to the dresses with which they are worn.

Cunning Little Empire Sleeves.

The sleeve is by no means the dominant feature in a Paris costume, but it is none the less important. Every good couturier endeavors to get new effects in simple lines for the new sleeves. These effects are to be found in the cuffs, as a rule, since there is little scope for anything but small pleats and gathers in the tops of the new short sleeves. All manner of pretty ideas may be introduced in a sleeve cuff, or in the sleeve itself, if it be a dressy one. These are trimmings of buttons and braids, bows and buckles, appliques and other skillful arrangements which may be set on a sleeve by the artistic needlewoman. Since nothing looks worse than an overtrimmed sleeve, I would advise the woman with few ideas to adhere to the simplest form of sleeve possible.

In fitted sleeves some fetching effects in the mousquetaire are introduced, and every one knows how becoming this form of sleeve is to the arm.

I saw all sorts of novelties in bracelets to add to the beauty of a rounded arm or attract attention to the angles of the other sort, now that we have all to own up to the sort of arms we carry. In Paris the novel bracelets of velvet and ribbon, lace and flowers, are treated to a shrug of the shoulders. Translated into American, that means that the well-gowned woman would not think of wearing them any more than she would be seen wearing gloves decorated with bold embroidery and lace appique. The smart bracelet of the season is made of jewels. We may wear as many jeweled bracelets as we care to and no comment will be made upon our dress, but we will not wear anything else—if we would be smart.

Such a flood of embroidered and beaded gloves are suddenly making their appearance that I think it only prudent to say that the fashionable Parisienne wears none of these. Lots of people enjoy novelties, but the woman who endeavors to be strictly correct in dress tells wear a plain glove. Its color will be its greatest novelty and, considering what these colors are at present we may assure ourselves that the correctly gowned woman will have her hands full selecting these with due discrimination.

Josef Milton Osborn

Why Children Sometimes Appear to Be "Bad."

A LARGE amount of so-called naughtiness among children may be accounted for upon grounds which quite exclude the desirability of punishment for its correction, says a writer in the London Lancet. It may be due to the fact that the child has had insufficient sleep or is overtired after a long day's excitement.

Children may be restless or restive as the direct result of being underfed; they may have been confined at home for the whole day owing to the inclemency of the weather, and as a consequence the only apparent outlet for their restrained physical energy is found be annoying those who have charge of them.

There are also some cases in which an incipient physical or mental disorder may manifest itself by symptoms which very closely resemble wilful perversity unless baled, the possibility of the onset of an illness is borne in mind. It is notorious that ill-timed punishment in these cases at times has precipitated a severe attack. Stuttering and stammering are also likely to be aggravated by being noticed. A deaf child is often inattentive and has been occasionally classed among the mentally defective.

It has been said that many children are punished for the faults of their teachers; this is undoubtedly true when such faults exhibit themselves as a continually close atmosphere in the schoolroom or a prolonged strained and cramped attitude of the pupil's body while he is seated at work. Frequent periods of exercise in the open air are essential in order to arouse the circulation and to stimulate the mind. If a mischievous disposition is to be con-

THE TINY ROSE HAT, WITH ITS FALL OF CURLS FROM THE BACK.

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THE NEW LACE NIGHT CAP.

The Leather-Bound "Laceless" Calf-skin Shoe Must Now Be Worn in Color to Match the Gown.

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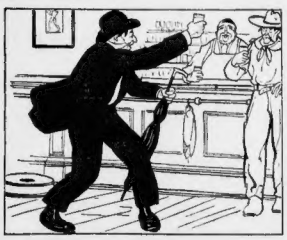

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NOW WOULDN'T THIS JAR YOU!

A True Story in Real Life and the Moral It Teaches

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—*and* got to buying $10 cigars and handed over $20,000 of your mining stock to a pretty restaurant cashier (as Schofield really did)—

—*and* then woke up with your money gone, mining stock all thrown away and a heap of debts (which Schofield did)—

Wouldn't that JAR you, and make you swear you'd let liquor alone?

MR. C. M. SCHOFIELD is wiser than he was, and has resolved to be not only a miner, but a better man. Especially has he resolved to let liquor alone.

Wisdom and these commendable resolutions came to Mr. Schofield in "the cold gray dawn of the morning after," when he awoke to find himself stranded on a narrow cot in the city jail of Los Angeles, Cal.

And he a heavy stockholder in a mining company that had "struck it rich" in Arizona! He, stockholder and officer of the Newbury Mining Company, in jail, as footloose and unkempt as any Weary Waggles, with a deep, dark blank in his memory, which detectives and sympathetic personal friends were trying to bridge with such astonishing information as:

"You can't remember Venice, Cal.? There's where you had money to burn."

"You bolstered on paying $10 each for five-cent cigars."

"You made everybody drink champagne at your expense."

"When you had burnt your wad you began writing checks."

"You wrote checks like you was a celebrated author getting four dollars a word."

"The trouble is that some of the banks had never heard of you."

"You tipped waiters with yellow-backs."

"And you endorsed $30,000 of your stock over to a pretty cashier."

"And"—But Mr. Schofield's story is one of those stories that need to begin at the beginning.

He here hails from Dicksville, Me., where Mr. Schofield is still highly respected. Up in Maine, from boyhood until recently, he had followed the plough, driven home the cows and milked them, sowed, cultivated and harvested from morn till dewy eve.

Prosperity and a snug bank account were the reward of his industry and sobriety. Never did he indulge in even such mild rural dissipations as going to Boston or New York to see the sights and pick up a gold brick or two. He was proof against the wiles of the lightning-rod man and the green goods circulars.

Invested in a Hole in the Ground.

Yet one day came a temptor who could not be resisted. Out in Arizona, near Prescott, there was a hole in the ground. The hole belonged to the Newbury Mining Company. The officers offered to let Mr. Schofield into that hole right at the bottom, where the rocks were flecked with bright yellow. They needed Mr. Schofield's bank surplus to pay men and machinery to bring those yellow specks to the surface.

"You can be superintendent of the mine," they told him. And they showed him mining stock certificates so beautifully engraved that Mr. Schofield could hardly get his money out of the bank quick enough.

When Mr. Schofield's farmer neighbors heard of it they laughed and slapped their thighs. Hadn't they bought gold bricks? Didn't they know?

And when Mr. Schofield sold three months' crop to get money for a ticket to Prescott in order to assume his duties as superintendent of "that there hole in the ground," his neighbors sincerely pitied him.

There was no throwing away money on that trip out to Prescott. Mr. Schofield travelled modestly. He was perfectly sober then, as he always had been, and was full of plans about his career as mining superintendent and capitalist. He would yet be those smart farmers back in Maine laughing out of the other side of their mouths.

Arriving in Prescott he heard things that made his heart beat faster. There was a demand for stock in his company. He met men who were quite pressing in their offers of a considerable advance over what he had paid. Then he heard rumors that his mine was turning out a regular bonanza.

Being still perfectly sober, Mr. Schofield declined to sell any of his stock. He hurried out to the mine and found his "hole in the ground" a scene of intense activity. The money he had paid for his stock had been promptly used in operating expenses. Ore was being hauled to the surface, mills were crushing it, stamps were stamping it, chemicals were separating the yellow flecks from the bits of rock, and rich ingots were awaiting shipment.

The acting superintendent officiated at a "clean up" for Mr. Schofield's benefit. With his own eyes he saw the bowels of the earth yielding up untold wealth for him. Mr. Schofield's nerves began to dance jigs. Painfully and slowly he had wrung scattering dollars out of the rocky soil of Maine. That was different. Now he was getting rich while he slept. He felt like dancing and whooping like a savage.

Must Have a High Old Time.

How was he going to spend all that money? He must have some fun, of course—a glorious, high old time—something he had never had and never expected to have. Everything was going on all right at the mine. They knew all about it, while he was as innocent of mining as a newborn babe.

There was money in the treasury—money that had been taken out of that hole in the ground. Why, certainly, if Mr. Schofield wished to take a little trip out to the coast before assuming his duties at the mine, that was quite proper. Would a couple of thousand dollars fix him up?

A couple of thousand dollars just for a week of fun! But there was the money—a pretty little stack of yellowbacks. Whoop! Mr. Schofield was a changed man. He was off for his first spree, and he wouldn't come back till the last dollar was gone.

It was dull over in Venice and Santa Monica, Cal. The inhabitants had developed an industrious streak, and few strangers were about. The barrooms were empty —"nothin' doin'," nothing at all in Venice and Santa Monica.

But that was before C. M. Schofield concluded to get off the train there and begin his celebration. Then, quite suddenly, the two towns woke up. The Maine farmer turned suddenly mining capitalist had already found means to lay a broad foundation for anticipated festivities, and was not at all bashful.

"Step up, gents. It's all on me"—that was the burden of his song in every saloon he entered. "Don't be bashful. Everything goes. Take down the ceiling and raise the limit. Here's the yellowbacks that pays. All out of my hole in the ground over in Arizona—and plenty more where that came from. Step up, gents!"

Did they step up? Well! From hotel to saloon, from saloon to hotel, up and down all the streets, the thirsty procession grew till the air was thick with "yellowbacks."

"Plum out of change," said a cigar man, when Mr. Schofield discovered that money could be smoked.

"Who asked for change?" demanded the man from Maine, throwing down five new yellow ones, and, passing out of a box of "Stoker's Delights" ten specimens to himself and guests. "When I'm celebratin' cigars are worth ten dollars apiece. Whoop! Come on, boys—wherah—hic—wherah next water you?"

Venice and Santa Monica were no longer dull. From Thursday till Monday Mr. Schofield devoted himself tirelessly to slaking the thirst of the inhabitants, while his own seemed to increase in spite of all his efforts.

And Then Signed Checks.

He had yellowbacks in all his pockets. If, perchance, he found a pocket empty he would yell for the proprietor.

"Here, you old goat, bring a blank check and pen and ink. I'm Schofield. You boys all know me. I've got a hole in the ground over in Ari—hic—zona that spouts gold by the hogshead."

"Here, cash this—nothing smaller'n twenties. And—hic—bring champagne. Bring it in a wash tub. Hear me shoutin'?"

By Monday it began to dawn upon the public purveyors of festive liquids in Santa Monica and Venice that, in his present state, Mr. Schofield ought not to sign any more checks. They like, indeed, they honor him; but they advise against getting writer's cramp, which will interfere with his duties as superintendent out at the mine.

Finding a pocket with a few overlooked yellowbacks in it, he resolves on a genial windup of his celebration and heads the way, with half a dozen faithful henchmen, to the Cafe Venice for a late supper. The French proprietor presents a menu card—he will not suffer so daring/and a man as Mr. Schofield to be served by an ordinary waiter. Schofield waves it aside.

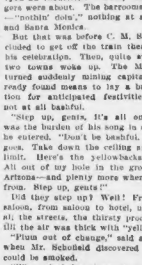
"Bring the best in the house. Finish in regardish of—hic—regardless of expensh. And—hic—rush the cocktails."

The proprietor resolves to make hay while the sun shines. He introduces Mr. Schofield to bottles of sparkling liquid with a delicate amber tint, which he translates from the wine list as "the widow." Mr. Schofield tastes, drinks deeply, and announces that he would not be guilty of drinking "the widow" for less than one yellowback per bottle.

Pretty Cashier Gets $20,000.

"Fill 'em up, boys," he says. "Hereash—hic—hereash to 'the widow.' Long may she—hic—long may she wave!"

Mr. Schofield has exhibited his remaining wealth in currency. The prudent proprietor sees that the dinner does not outstrip it. At length the hour of the occasion gets his bill and insists on personal payment at the cashier's desk, above which he has now and then caught a glimpse of a charming face. He has felt



C. M. Schofield.

St. Mark's Hotel, Windward Avenue, Venice, Cal. This Building.

Mrs. Bruder's Cafe Is in

momentary remorse over the fact that, so far, he has been guilty of neglecting the fair sex.

At a closer view he is dazzled by the beauty of Mrs. Emeline Bruder, the beautiful Viennese, who assists her husband in the management of the cafe. She is smalling, and her smile is maddening. Before the widow so charming he feels that he must make some sort of offering.

"Er—er, excuse me, Miss," he blunders, "we've had a great time. You've treated us right. I'm going to make you a present."

"Oh, Monsieur," she says, smiling more bewitchingly than ever, "you see I have not ze pleasir of ze introduction"——

But the infatuated man from Maine has taken from his inside pocket certificates of stock in his mine worth $20,000 and spread them out before her. At his demand she dips a pen and hands it to him. Quickly he indorses the certificates over to her and thrusts them into her hands. She thanks him again, and turns to other customers. Mr. Schofield looks for another smile, for at his lips. He is no longer walking——himself alone, but is disappointed.

His companion has gone—he is alone, that he has lately been rudely handled. He feels in his pockets; there are only a few dollars which he had overlooked. Feeling dazed, he gropes his way out into the dark street, and walks and walks. He does not know which way he is walking.

He has strange visions. Sometimes he is driving home the cows on the farm, or following the plough. It is dusk—no, it is dawn, for it grows lighter. Still he walks aimlessly, trying to remember something. He sees the sun shining, knows he is on some road strange to him, but there is a blank in his memory. His feet feel sore.

As he walks he finds himself in a city street and feels his throat is parched. There is money in his hand and a glass His head seems clearer; he recollects that he has lately been rudely handled. Where is he? A man looks through iron bars and tells him:

"You are in the city jail of Los Angeles. You signed and cashed checks in Venice that were not good. But you have friends, and they are here to see you."

By the time you read this, probably Mr. Schofield's friends will have helped him pay the holders of those bad checks—perhaps again from the pretty cashier those valuable certificates.

Certainly Mr. Schofield will have regiven a hundred times to go on no more sprees—to leave liquor alone.

Emeline Bruder, the Bewitching Cafe Cashier Whose Smile Moved Mr. Schofield to Hand Her $20,000.

Some Good and Valuable Hints for Housekeepers.

ALL articles dyed with aniline colors, if faded from exposure to light will look as bright as ever after being sponged with chloroform.

Potato water is a thing that the most economical housewife throws away; yet it has its use. After scraping the potatoes, allow the water to settle, and then strain it. This liquid sponges dirt out of silk.

An inexpensive way of cleaning white fur is to get two pennyworth of chalk sawdust from a carpenter, and a pint of benzoline; rub well into the fur, and throw the sawdust away as it becomes dirty. When the fur looks clean, rub with dry sawdust, hang over a line and beat with a cane. If possible, work out of doors on account of the benzoline.

To properly air a room, open the window at the top and bottom. The reason for this is to allow impure air, which always rises, to escape at the top, while the cool, fresh air will come in at the bottom from outside.

Coffee is a fairly good air purifier. A little burnt on the coals will purify a sick room and abolish bad smells. Many physicians think highly of the fumigating effects of coffee, taken before they visit cases of infectious diseases.

A colorless alcohol recommends in all cases where dirt, lime or sparks get into the eyes, that the sufferer have pure olive oil poured in until everything of a hurtful nature is removed. The remedy is quite painless, and never fails to remove all foreign substances.

Cold cream is a most useful ointment to always have in the house. A very simple way of making it is to put in a basin one pound of lard, and fill with boiling water. When cold, and the lard has risen to the top, take it off and repeat the process. When again cold, whisk it up with a paper-knife till of perfectly smooth cream, and add enough essence of lemon to give it a perfume.

In Winter a housewife often has great difficulty in keeping her hands soft and white. Unless some soothing lotion is used, they will surely become chapped, especially if one does any heavy housework. A good lotion is made of two parts of rosewater, two parts of glycerine, and one part of citric acid. Vaseline is, of course, good for chapped hands, but care must be taken that it is not rubbed on the lips, for it will produce superfluous hair. Cold cream, too, is said to do this, and should, therefore, be used with caution.

All the water used for washing must be soft, otherwise the clothes cannot be clean. The best way of softening hard water, when no other can be obtained, is to mix with it a large quantity of ley, in the proportion of one gallon of ley to three or four of water, or to stir into it a little soda, which last should be sparingly used, as it will injure the clothes by making them so tender that they soon go to pieces.

White or light kid gloves may be cleaned at home with very little trouble. Rub the gloves first of all with cream of tartar, leave them for an hour, then rub them with Fuller's earth and powdered alum mixed in equal portions. Leave the gloves again until the next day, when they must be brushed until all the powder is removed. The next process is to rub them with oatmeal, to which a little powdered whiting has been added. Wipe all this off with a dry cloth, and the gloves are ready to be worn again.

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1 ---Rev. Madison C. Peters Personally Visits the Fashionable Resorts of High Society and Declares that the Deplorable Increase of Hard Drinking Among American Women Threatens the Nation.

By MADISON C. PETERS,
Pastor of the Baptist Church of the Epiphany, of New York.

"HISTORY is philosophy teaching by example." If we accept this as a true statement, then the American people should take warning from the plain lesson taught by the requisites of history, namely, that luxury, extravagance and immorality consequent upon vast wealth in the hands of the few, is the sure forerunner of national decay. The evil of which I purpose to write is committed by the men as well as by the women, but such is the power of women's influence, if exerted on the right side, they would soon correct these evils on the man's side.

I am fully aware that I am treading on delicate ground, because of the prevalence of a false gallantry which demands that whenever men speak of women they should offer fulsome praise, on pain of being condemned as lacking in chivalry. There is a disposition to look upon men as women's natural enemies, and some women at least look with distrust upon the man who dares to be frank in the utterance of any opinion that may be unfavorable to women. I will with any man in my regard for all that is beautiful and good in woman. I know full well that there are those who impute to women everything that goes wrong, while their silent but diligent exertion to make everything go right, is unobserved. I can truthfully say that my only desire is to do good to those who read what I write.

I am especially concerned about the young women. The bright days of youth, when the heart is tender and smiles and tears so quickly chase each other, must have their hours of reflection and sober thought. The good seeds of virtue must be then planted. If I speak strongly it is because I am stirred deeply. My appeal is especially to women, because we must look to the women to elevate the tone of public sentiment and advance the cause of morality. The lives of men are influenced by the teachings which they receive from, and the example that is set them by the women. The women are the law-givers, men are the subjects. Women fix the standard of morality.

Man's ideal of what woman ought to be is based upon his conception of what she normally is better than himself. I do not believe in the dual standard of morality, but if the world looks upon sin as black er in woman than in man, it is simply because she is by nature purer and has farther to fall. If men condemn sin in the woman more than in the man, they are in that very condemnation paying woman the highest and truest compliment.

Mrs. "Jack" Wilmerding, Niece of the Vanderbilts, Who Is a Hopeless Dipsomaniac and Illustrates What Dr. Peters Says.

"JUST A DROP MORE."

She Is Purer and Has Farther to Fall.

I wish to speak of the alarmingly increasing habit of drink among our American women. So well known is this fact that it has become a matter of common observation, that shocked us ten years ago, are now passed by without comment.

I have seen again and again in New York, in the Waldorf, the Astor, Sherry's and Shanley's, what may be seen nightly in scores of cafes, women drinking cocktails, whiskey straight, wines of all kinds—women drinking as freely and as frequently as the men. I have had my own observations confirmed by sending specially qualified and truthful men and women to report their observations to me.

So common is the drinking habit that the situation is often a source of embarrassment to the woman who does not drink. The disastrous results of tippling among females are already too well known to the physicians, and experience shows that while men who drink often reform, women who become victims to drink are more intractable to reformation.

A recent editorial in a Paris paper, speaking of our cocktail habit, declares that we are breeding a race of degenerates. The records of the Police Department of New York City for 1905 show that there were arrested for drunkenness 11,985 persons, of whom 10,000 were women. A distinguished physician wrote to me a few days ago to "not for an instant retreat from your statements. We physicians know that they are lamentably true, and that the crime for such it is, is growing with awful rapidity. We have this problem to fight in many instances in the care of the sick."

The fashion that encourages women inebriates among the rich of America presents a deplorable outlook for the future of the republic. History plainly enforces the lesson that the last symptom of national decline is always found in womanly folly. Corruption may spread far and wide and do much harm in the community, but there is hope for both the Church and the State so long as the wives and mothers, the daughters and sisters retain their moral integrity. When that is gone, all is gone. Purity and worth find their last retreat in the woman, and if driven thence, they are doomed to die, and with them perish the prospects of the land.

As the customs of the privileged are copied by other classes, the evils resulting from this state of affairs are widespread and degrading.

My appeal is to every woman who loves her kind, to discourage social drinking and help save the women of the nation from the curse of drunkenness. Man's own selfish nature is the chief factor in dragging women down from the pedestal upon which he himself has placed her, yet strangely inconsistent as it may seem, the man will idolize the woman who resists the temptation.

The drink is dangerous enough for men, in women it is especially dangerous. No one will dispute that the finer moral balance and affection will produced in woman by drink are more marked than in the man. It so undermines her will power and blunts her sense of moral responsibility, that it is a well known fact that the victims of the woman with the drink habit is always in danger. Woman's emotional organization being so much more susceptible than that of the man, the special danger of drink in the woman can easily be understood.

I do not believe that the drinking of a glass of wine per se is a sin, and the woman who drinks moderately is not necessarily a slave to all other women. The Scriptural interpretation of drunkenness implies a ruling passion, a degrading slavery and the power that has gained the mastery, which is superior to the woman herself.

Some women, because of the peculiarity of their organism, are not sensibly affected by a moderate use of drink; that they are not drunkards is perhaps due to their temperament, and the credit is due to nature and not to the women.

A distinguished English lawyer in a recent lecture before the Medical Legal Society of London, contended that the amount of drink which a man consumes does not determine the question at what precise stage of intoxication a man may be considered drunk. He says, for instance, that after injury to the health, or an attack of sun stroke, and in certain cases, of epilepsy, a single glass of beer will convert an ordinarily quiet individual into a howling, fighting lunatic, and yet the magistrate who punishes the offender repentant, has often consumed more alcohol with his luncheon than the man or woman before him.

Safety Only in Total Abstinence.

I believe that wines and liquors have their legitimate uses and may be used beneficially, yet the fact remains that, while many moderate drinkers do not become confirmed inebriates, all confirmed drunkards were once moderate drinkers, hence comes the law of absolute safety for all in total abstinence. If the better classes of society were to discontinue the moderate use of drink, they would diminish both the habit and the evil of intemperance. Fashion is only another term for public sentiment, and if the higher classes of society, or even our church people, were to discontinue the moderate use of drink, the effect would be to render drinking unfashionable.

The moral character of the man is the moral character of the nation, and the one can be elevated only by the elevation of the other. But we all know that the women give the character to the men. If women mix the drink, men will not refuse to take it. If you give men the impression that you think men are better for company when their tongues are loosened by drink and treat intemperance as a joke, men will regard dissipation as a pardonable fault. If you are horrified because some poor fellow, some first step in folly was taken under your direction, but who is now by drunkenness made unfit for your society, your inconsistency will plainly appear and men will see that it is not so much the drinking habit that is condemned as its vulgarity and grossness.

Will you mothers place temptation in the way of your son? Will you sisters make virtue difficult to your brother? Will you young women, who would place your keeping in the hands of him whom you love, place in his hand the poison which may find its way to his heart? Will you wives continue to surround your husbands with snares, so skillfully covered that they may fall into them almost unaware? Remember the prayer, "Lead us not into temptation," and let not woman be the tempter.

A young woman in a New York police court, standing before the Judge, disillusioned, weary and worn by wretchedness and woe, in telling the story of her husband's brutality and neglect, among other things, said:

"I knew my husband drank before I married him, and I would like to tell any girl if she thinks she can reform a man by marrying him, she is mistaken, and had better hang herself."

There are eighteen thousand wife desertions every year in Chicago, 5,825 in Philadelphia last year, while the average number of desertions in New York is upward of 8,000 a year, and, according to the testimony of the Police Magistrates, the cause at the bottom is the majority of cases is drink.

The records of the Police Courts throughout the land point out how foolhardy is the act to marry a man in need him or reform him. Court records show that marriage as a step to a man's reform has almost invariably resulted in failure. It is all nonsense to say that love is blind—blind to the faults of the one loved. If the man were not reformed he would be reformed. If a man will not reform to please his sweetheart the chances are against his doing so to please his wife. The martyr spirit seldom brings the martyr's reward.

I know silly young women imagine that a little wickedness is a sort of spice in a young man's life. Mark my words, you will find those habits after the wedding day to be anything but pleasant spice. Love is not only blind, but deaf and dumb in the case of the woman who marries a man to reform him. The risks are great enough for any woman who marries a man who does not need reforming. But what if the man reforms before marriage? Put him on probation two years to prove that the reformation is genuine.

"Society women have more than once been carried out of fashionable restaurants, or, resisting, have made a scene on the pavement until forced into their carriages."

3 ---Dr. Emil Reich, the Distinguished British Essayist, Points Out that American Women Will Destroy the Nation, as Spartan Women Destroyed Greece.

By DR. EMIL REICH,
The Distinguished British Essayist.

NATIONS differ in nothing so much as in their women. The French, English or American woman is easily distinguishable. The American woman is totally different from the English woman, so is the French woman, though the difference in this case is not so intrinsic, so is the German woman, so is the woman of Italy. The American woman, while differing from all her European sisters of today, bears a marked resemblance to the women of ancient Sparta. The Spartans resembled the present-day Americans, the Athenians were like the English.

I do not blame, I do not praise. I only say, and I say emphatically, that the American woman is not womanly; she is not a woman. The whole of the United States is under petticoat government, and man is practically non-existent.

In America woman commands man. Man does not count there. The last man that came to America was Christopher Columbus. To-day man has no existence; he does not talk in the drawing room, but is a dummy. The woman lives one life, the man another, and they are totally distinct from each other."

The Best Complexion in the World.

She is as new as a man born to-day is new, she is made up of restlessness and diligentness, beg before she is twenty-five. But she is very beautiful; she has the best complexion in the world—better than that of any European woman. She is also well built and handsome. You see fine specimens of the American woman in Kentucky and Massachusetts.

A few miles distant from the Athens of old—what would be but a short railway journey in these days—lay Sparta. The Spartans were imperialists, and they wanted to conquer the whole of Greece. The Spartan woman, as I have remarked, was like the American woman of to-day. She never dreamt of lovers; her idea was nothing less than conquering man; she never thought of him as more than a fellow athlete.

These women wrestled with the men in a state of nudity. There was no womanhood in them, no more than in so many sticks. The Athenians said that they were very fine, but there was nothing feminine about them. They were far richer, too, than the men, for the men went to the wars and died, and the women thus became rich. Aristotle said that the Spartan woman was sure to ruin Sparta very quickly. And so she did, for we find Sparta trying to rule Greece in the fourth century B. C., in the third century she was sinking; in the second century she had ceased to exist.

Modern British men and women, what are they? That is what I want to bring out. A nation can never survive with women of the Spartan type, which, as I have told you, is the American woman of to-day. The Romans were the same, and they ruined their empire. They had one idea, an all-absorbing idea which killed all ideas of religion, of art, of everything—the idea of empire. They spent their entire life in that one absorbing pursuit—domination; in such a country woman has no place.

In 1903 there appeared in Vienna a book which at 18th edition, newly published by Heine now raised a sensation among serious students, as manic. "Women have no existence and no well as among men and women of the world. It was an extraordinary book. The writer was manifestly in deep and passionate earnest about what he said. He said it with an incisiveness and brilliancy itself, which, in the deepest interpretation of that could not but come from long study and sincere belief in the "truth" revealed to him.

At the same time, the book was, in its way, the most subversive book ever written on the subject of Woman. On a basis of carefully prepared scientific premises, taken, it would appear, from the whole range of modern biology, physiology, psychology and philosophy, the author proceeds to an arraignment and condemnation of woman such as has never been ventured upon by the greatest of woman haters among men.

In a tone of detached impartiality, yet with a burning hatred of and contempt for woman, Otto Weininger sheets and dismembers every particle of the conventional or traditional notion of woman. He comes to the general conclusion that woman has no soul no existence at all.

"Women," Weininger says (p. 256 of the Eng. aware that biology alone will never solve the mystery of character, individuality, and similar problems of the human soul, yet he does not even surmise that he missed the whole point in his study of woman by his complete ignorance of the various types of womanhood. For Weininger there is only one type of woman—Woman. Particular, the prostitute, has such a relation, and lately for all concerned, there is no woman indeed, as Weininger says, but there are women, or women in a number of essentially different types. What the author knew was the woman of Vienna.

As men in Vienna, with their inimitable effluence of dress, speech and manners, are radically different from English men or Frenchmen, so are Viennese women different from women in France, England or America.

Why should not the race combine the good we have in all these types of women; in fact, make its woman more perfect? They would then be able to show the world something that has never been seen; not quite Athens, perhaps, but certainly not Sparta, much less America.

Although he, unlike Mr. Nordau, is fully

Rev. Madison C. Peters.

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SO BAD! Four Astonishing Attacks on the Women of Our Multi-Millionaire "Smart Set" From Four Widely Different Sources.

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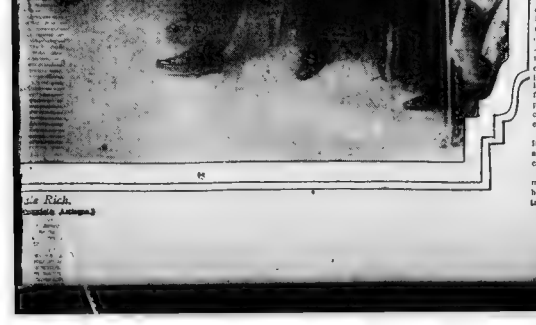
2---*Gertrude Atherton Says:* *"The Lives of Fashionable Women Are Rooted in Evil and Idleness," and Some of the Wealthiest American Matrons Have Not "a Rag of Morals to Save Them from the Divorce Court."*

By GERTRUDE ATHERTON.
In the April "Cosmopolitan."



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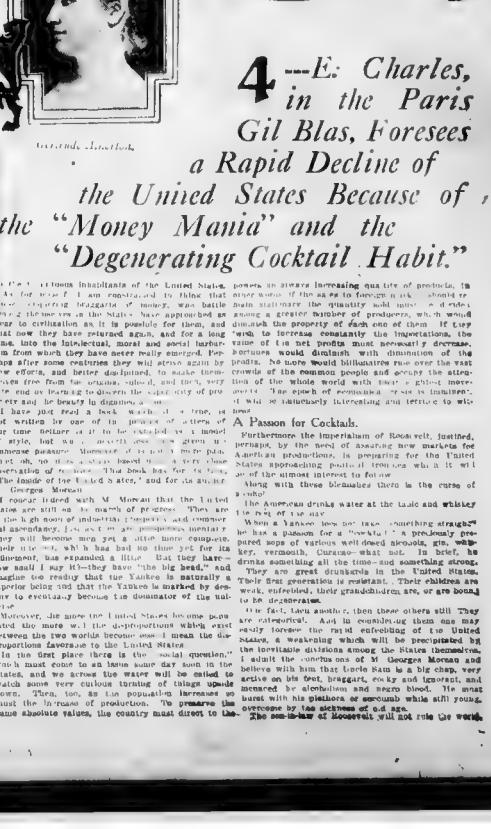

Gertrude Atherton.

Gambling and Abuse in High Society.

4---*E. Charles, in the Paris Gil Blas, Foresees a Rapid Decline of the United States Because of the "Money Mania" and the "Degenerating Cocktail Habit."*

By ERNEST CHARLES,
In the Paris Gil Blas.

WE French people know always little enough, and that little as life as may be, of the real true life of foreign nations. It is rare that we have the least disdain in the attitude; the French man born a critic, is a critic only of his own France. He admires, he acquires readily all other countries. He believes everything that he has been told about them; everything, be it understood, of course, that is favorable. If any one should by chance happen to report to him anything at all unfavorable he will examine it, he will dispute it, he will equivocate, and he will conclude that the whole thing has been grossly exaggerated.

Truth, however, little by little forces itself upon us. It makes itself felt even among those who care nothing about it. It carries everything before it. It triumphs.

And I should not be surprised if the moment had come—at last—and that we have a very exact idea of one foreign country at least, the United States.

The most trivial incidents are sometimes the means of the most important revelations. Never I say, has there been more completely exposed the high line of social barbarism, or, if you like it better, the primitive society of the United States than by the recent carnivalesque manifestations attending the marriage of Miss Alice Roosevelt with a Yankee notable.

In France a young woman of the bourgeoisie, or of the aristocracy of the rear, who the day before, or the day itself of her marriage and the day after even, deliver herself up to the noisy, common clamor to which the brilliant young savage of the White House complacently lent herself as a spectacle in France, I affirm, this young lady would be despised and jeered at by the whole country.

Our own taste has perhaps been perverted by agitation over certain Franco-American marriages, but we still have left some decorous sentiment, which is in fact civilization.

This civilization, which we are inclined to believe is a force among us and among all our qualities as perhaps the most precious of all this civilization is, we are bound to believe, utterly lacking among the countless inhabitants of the United States.

As for myself, I am convinced of things that are appalling in degree of money, was battle among themselves in the States have approached as near to civilization as it is possible for them, and that now they have returned again, and for a long time, into the intellectual, moral and social barbarism from which they have never really emerged. Perhaps after some centuries they will strive again by new efforts, and better disciplined, to make themselves free from the tyrannies, social, and then, very late end to learning to discern the superiority of pro over and be brought by dignities and

I have just read a book which, in fact, is not written by one of the powers of letters of our time believe it to be excellent as a model of style, but which, nevertheless, has given me immense pleasure. Moreover, it is not a mere pleasure, no more a pleasure based on a very close observation of facts. That book has for its "The Inside of the United States," and for its author M. Georges Moreau.

I concur in deed with M. Moreau that the United States are still on its march of progress. They are in the high noon of industrial prosperity and commercial ascendancy. Factories are prosperous, mental. They will become men yet a little more complete. Their life—so, which has had no time yet for its refinement, has expanded a little. But they have how small I say it!—how "the big head," and imagine too readily that the Yankee is naturally a superior being and that the Yankee is marked by destiny to eventually become the dominator of the universe.

Moreover, the more the United States become populated the more will the disproportions which exist between the two worlds become assessed mean the disproportions favorable to the United States.

In the first place there is the "social question," which must come to an issue some day soon in the States, and we across the water will be called to watch some very curious turning of things upside down. Then, too, as the population increases so must the increase of production. To preserve the same absolute values, the country must direct to the powers in always increasing quantity of products, in other words if the as as to foreign markets should retain or maintain the quantity sold must end rather among a greater number of producers, which would diminish the property of each one of them. If they wish to increase constantly the importations, the value of the net profits must necessarily decrease. Fortunes would diminish with diminution of the profits. No more would billionaires rise over the vast crowds of the common people and accept the attention of the whole world with their gilded mediocrity. The epoch of economic crisis is imminent. It will be extremely interesting and terrible to witness!

A Passion for Cocktails.

Furthermore the imperialism of Roosevelt, justified, perhaps, by the need of assuring new markets for American production, is preparing for the United States approaching political troubles which it will be of the utmost interest to follow.

Along with those blemishes there is the curse of a vice!

The American drinks water at the table and whiskey in the rest of the day.

When a Yankee does not take something straight he has a passion for a "cocktail," a perilously prepared mess of various well-mixed alcohols, gin, whiskey, vermouth, Curaçao—what not. In brief, he drinks something all the time—and something strong.

They are great drunkards in the United States. Their first generation is resistant. Their children are weak, enfeebled, their grandchildren are, or are bound to be degenerates.

The fact, lets assume, then these others still They are categorical. And in considering them one may easily foresee the rapid enfeebling of the United States, a weakening which will be precipitated by the inevitable divisions among the States themselves. I admit the conclusions of M. Georges Moreau and believe with him that Uncle Sam is a big chap, very active on his feet, braggart, cocky and ignorant, and menaced by alcoholism and negro blood. He must burst with his plethora or succumb while still young, overcome by the sickness of old age.

The son-in-law of Roosevelt will not rule the world.

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Electricity or Eyesight? Choose Quickly!

Science Alarmingly Predicts That We Are Losing Our Sense of Sight, and Shows Overproduction of Electricity May Lead to a Sightless Age.

OCULISTS and electrical experts assert that the universal use of electricity is shrivelling the optic nerve and rapidly making the human race blind. As the electric light grows more powerful the eye will fail until it flickers out. Trolleys, dynamos, motors and even the seemingly innocent electric fan are as dangerous as the electric lamp itself. From every source of electric energy come invisible waves which pass through the skull and coverings of the optic nerve and corrode that most sensitive organ of the human body.

Even on a mountain top and in mid-ocean the tormented eye cannot escape. The insidious waves charge the atmosphere from pole to pole with invisible force. These strange statements have been affirmed by a Chicago jury.

I am not the only one. There were two little girls with me. Their eyes were injured but they are not going to sue the company. I know that electricity is blinding

BY DR. G. B. DYE.

Unless some agent is discovered to utilize the healing and therapeutic properties of the electric currents that fill the air and neutralize their ill effects, it will remain a fact that the dawn of the electric age sounds the doom of human eyesight.

Some time, down the ages that mark the vast improvement and advancement in electrical discovery, man's sight is doomed to flicker out—burned and blasted by the fluid gent that he has uncorked

The air is like a monster Leyden jar, pressing down over the earth and becoming charged and discharged with great electrostatic waves

The millions of humming dynamos are charging it

The trolley, telegraph, telephone and cable wires that cobweb the globe are contributing their quota

The billions of arc and incandescent lights are throwing off little waves of electric energy.

The electric elevators, automobiles, motors and thousands of other different appliances are piling up the force.

All of this, generated by the time and labor saving and comfort making devices that man has created, is being stored up in the earth a aerial envelope. A power of terrific and uncanny force is being laid up there—a power that is daily eating away the most delicate of human organisms, the optic nerve.

A canvass of the eye specialists will show that my contention is true. One adult in every ten is suffering with defective vision to-day. The growth of blindness and defective sight among the civilized races has been increasing in strides of twenty per cent during the last few years.

America has become a blinking and spectacled nation. Its children are as greatly afflicted as its men. In the main this is due to the corroding effect of electricity. Electric light in itself is having a damaging effect on the human eye. The light contains properties that corrode the delicate nerve tissues. This is not due from the glare, because I have discovered through experiments that the light injures the eye even when it is heavily shaded.

The flicker of the incandescent globe, the sputter and fizz of the arc, and the ghastly glare of the Crookes tube have made us a blind and blinking people.

The hope of man rests in man's inventive genius. Electricity has been demonstrated to be one of the most healing influences known to science when properly handled and directed. The X ray mutmed its hundreds before we discovered how to properly use and control it so that all its influences were healing ones. Medical and electrical ingenuity may overcome the present threatening disorder and change this great overwhelming monster into a power of wonderful therapeutic value. Man has done much—although the era of the magic fluid is but begun

BY DR. H. PRESTON PRATT.

Electricity is a giant uncanny agent, of which we know next to nothing. We cannot describe it. We cannot define it. At best we can claim to know a few of its properties and a little about its awe-inspiring power

The wireless telegraph taught us within the space of but a few months that the air is a powerful conductor of electric waves.

The magnetic influence of the pole causes the needle of the compass to point the North Star, no matter how far it is away.

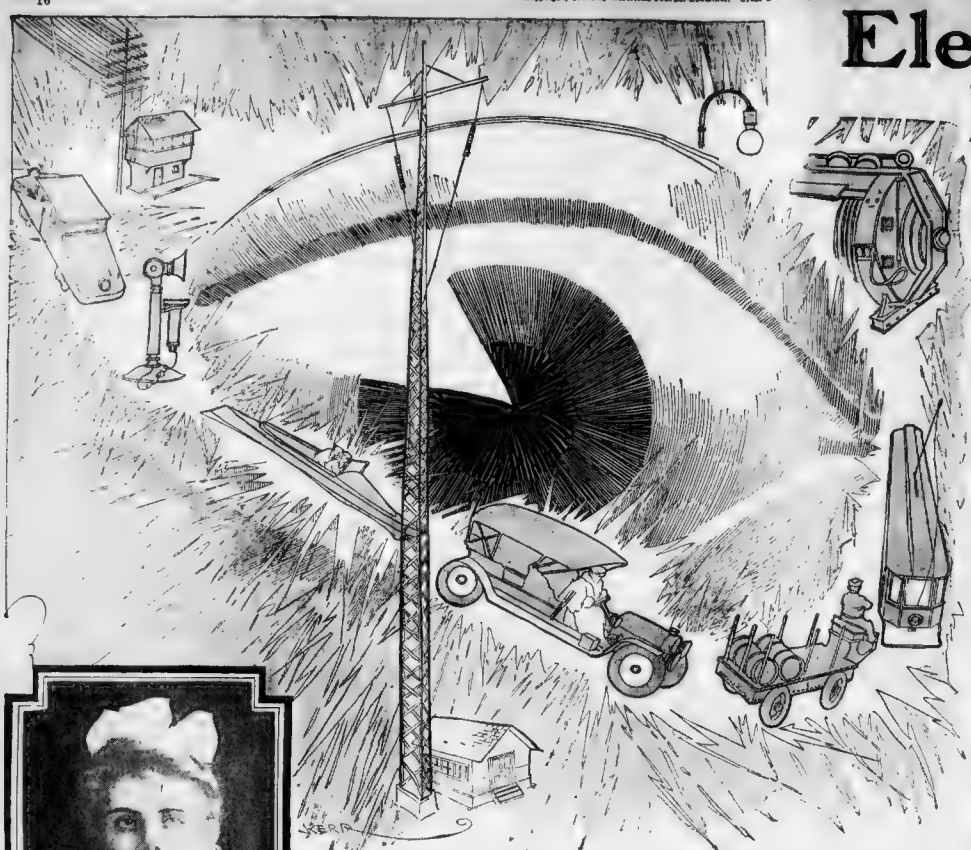
When a man is killed by lightning the current is conducted from the clouds to the ground through the air. Sometimes the man is killed without actually being struck by the bolt. He may be many points removed from the place of contact.

The yellow-green light of the X-ray will make a man or woman a helpless invalid under certain conditions, if turned upon the body.

The waves of the wireless telegraph are capable of passing through a stone wall, through a house, through the air, through almost anything.

Any sensitively organized person feels the current pass through his body when riding on a trolley car if a disconnection is made.

All these influences are having their effect on the optic nerve and steadily turning us into a sightless race.



"Millions of Humming Dynamos, the Trolley, Telegraph and Telephone Wires, Electric Elevators, Automobiles, Storage Batteries and Billions of Arc and Incandescent Globes are Storing up a Power of Terrific and Uncanny Force and Corroding the Most Delicate and Tenderest of All Existing Things, the Optic Nerve."—From Statement by Dr. G. B. Dye

Ruth Boatrum, Whose Sight Has Been Destroyed by an Electric Wire

Dr. H. Preston Pratt Who Predicts a Sightless Age.

BLINDNESS is the awful price that man must pay for his inventive curiosity, according to science. Some time, possibly at the close of the twentieth century, the world is to become peopled by goners—blind, staggering, crawling humans, forced to feel out their hesitating ways through a lifelong darkness as a mocking tribute to electricity, the fluid monster that the eye discovered and the hand failed to control.

Scientists advance this as a theory. A jury empaneled in the case of Ruth Boatrum vs. the Union Traction Company of Chicago, returned a verdict in Judge Windes's division of the Cook County Circuit Court declaring this to be a fact.

Both jury and scientists declared that the envelope of air surrounding the earth is highly charged by the myriads of humming dynamos, buzzing wires and flashing electric lights, until it is becoming an immense Leyden jar, crammed with the fluid force that is corroding the delicate optic nerves of a man's soul

On the evidence of the scientists, the ten year-old blind girl, Ruth Boatrum, was awarded $20,000 in damages by the jury.

Oculists, physicians, nerve specialists and electrical experts have journeyed from far and near to the humble home of the girl's father to study the child. She is upheld as a living example of the new theory that electric currents, passing through the air, are corroding the optic nerves.

The jury found, in the case of sightless Ruth Boatrum, that:

"She was half blinded and partly paralyzed by an electric shock that passed through the air from a broken trolley wire while she stood many feet away from the points of discharge."

It upheld the statement of Dr. H. Preston Pratt, X-ray and therapeutic expert, and B. G. B. Dye, expert therapeutist and inventor of the twenty-six cell dry battery, that the air is an actual conductive and storing agent for electric currents. Both physicians were used as experts in the case of Ruth Boatrum.

Here is Ruth Boatrum's story:

BY RUTH BOATRUM.

I was blinded and partly paralyzed by electricity, although I did not touch any wires. It came to me through the air. I have been that way for four years now. The doctors say I will always remain that way. It isn't the blindness that hurts me so much. It is something else.

I am susceptible to electricity now. I cannot enter a room where the electric lights shine, walk on the street where the electric cars run, or go near a dynamo, because it makes me nervous. When I do I feel the electric current.

Even when I am far away from these I feel it. On wet days tickling, prickling sensations possess me like the sticking of a thousand pins. My right side is helpless. In it I feel but little sensation.

I was standing at North avenue and Hoyt street, Chicago, four years ago. A trolley wire broke. It did not touch me. I was too far an

But I saw two blinding flashes of light. I heard two loud reports.

I was paralyzed. I stood on the street corner and could not move. Darkness came over me.

Gradually the feeling of death possessed me. Warmth seemed to slowly return. I found I could move, but I could not see my way.

Great red, orange and yellow things crawled before my vision. I was afraid of them and wanted to run. I was forced to grope.

A man spoke to me. He put his hand on my shoulder to lead me out of the street, but I could not see him. They took me home. I got well or thought I was well and went outdoors. A car passed. I was siezed with a shaking spell. Blindness had possessed me again.

Four years have passed. The tickling sensations have come more frequently. My sight is worse. My right side is paralyzed. A dozen physicians examined me before my case went to the jury

"We stuck needles into her body and she manifested no pain," they told the court.

The jury was out eight hours. Judge Windes had instructed it to find for the company if it believed that my blindness was caused by anything except electric currents passed into my body through the air. The jurymen awarded me $20,000.

ROBINSON CRUSOE'S RETURN

By BARRY PAIN.

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"I Promptly Found Myself Outside, With a Few Belongings Gathered Into a Bundle Under My Arm."

Synopsis of Preceding Chapters.

HAVING discovered the secret of perpetual middle age, which accounts for his present hale and hearty condition and undiminished love of adventure—Robinson Crusoe voyages from his desert island on a raft with a leg-of-mutton sail, accompanied by his parrot. He at length sights land and disembarks on a beach thronged by white people who seem civilized, but whose dress and manners are strange to him. The coat of goat skin seeming to attract undesirable attention, he appropriates certain garments which he finds neatly folded on the beach, whereupon he is pursued by a violent and hostile native, but takes to his heels. After an exciting chase and several rather swift escapes, he enters one of several curious linked cabins and conceals himself under a seat. Presently there is a fearful jolt, a bear a voice outside calling, "London only," and perceives that the linked cabins are moving rapidly. The fellow-fugitive concealed beneath another seat emerges and inquires who he is, and in response to a truthful reply, remarks, "Rats." On being asked if he has any other name, the stranger admits freely that his friends call him George.

From his strange fellow traveler Crusoe learns that he is in England, on a railway train, approaching London. In return for certain of the gold pieces in Crusoe's belt the stranger agrees to instruct him in the ways of civilization. On their arrival in London a barber is summoned to cut Crusoe's hair, and he is fitted out with a skilled wardrobe. He lives with "G. Rats," learns many things, good and bad, sees his gold pieces vanishing rapidly, and finally concludes that George Rats is a most treacherous knave and villain.

CHAPTER VI

Perfidious Conduct of G. Rats Leaves Crusoe in a Lamentable State.

THE next day, when I had breakfasted, principled enough to call again at the It determined most resolutely that agent's and repeat my words. This has I would now denounce this George happened and I have been invested with to a scheming and thieving rogue, the order of the Immediate Boot, being and would demand the return of all that merely a head time to pack and to scribble he had unlawfully gotten from me, threat- this brief message of fond farewell. ening him if he should refuse with the "If you find that the more attractive penalties of the law, as well as with a parts of my portable property are mishearty chastisement by my own hands, and, do not come the injustice to suppose to this end I walked out alone, as well to that it was by accident I packed them compose my mind as to settle more ex- with my own things. It was that I actly what manner of speech I would hold with him.

But, as it befell, I wandered so far out of my right course that, though I had intended to be absent but one hour, it was late in the day before I returned.

Being, however, come at last to the house again, I found that George Rats was no longer there, and that an old woman, of a most sorry and wretched appearance, had been appointed to caretake in his place, and she, having first inquired of me my name, handed me a letter from George Rats, which I will here set down.

"My poor friend

"This show is bust. I rather feared, when I conducted the last lady over the house and took such a pessimistic view of the drainage system, that I was slightly overdoing it, and that she might be unfavorably impressed. This letter was sent me from the premises as soon as the manager left the house, but it was then too late to act, as well as to follow.

"Business Hope Dashed to the Ground."

"Alas, my poor Crusoe! To think that after all your cleverness, your sermons, and your good advice, you should be wrecked by mere mock at sea! Verily, and indeed, it would just tell her what I took her for she would call me a liar to my face.

Now what the bearing of this might be as to some part of it I could not then nor ever after determine, but it was clear that she commanded me to go, and that immediately, nor was she such a woman as one would lightly disobey.

I did, indeed, do my best to explain to her my misfortunes and the sad straits to which I should be brought if she put me forth from the house, but to none of this she gave heed, but only bade me go, and that quickly.

So, to make a long story short, I presently found myself outside, with my few belongings gathered into a bundle under my arm, and no immediate prospects.

I, then, being much cast down in spirits, reflected that this pitiful letter of George Rats was not without reason when he said that I was wholly unfitted for civilization as it now is; for with a band of pirates, or a man-eating tiger, or a tribe of cannibals, I should have found no difficulty, there being no more than what I was brought up to, but with the caretakers of civilization I was utterly at a loss, having been robbed by the male kind and routed with lenonimy by the female

Little reader, then, that I, in no strong a fit of disgust as now possessed me, should be minded to withdraw myself as well as I might from the haunts and society of men; and though there are no London no eastern islands, yet there are certain open spaces which are known as the lungs of London; they were thus known also in my boyhood a few hundred years before, and I remember that my father inhaled the pure breeze there for a too frequent use of it

Alas! had I but taken the advice of that good old man in all things I had never come to any pass. But I indulged myself no further in this rejoining, and, taking my bundle under my arms, I set forth for Regent's Park, with the general direction of which I had been acquainted by George Rats.

On my way I called to my mind the lessons I had received in cab-hiring, but had not heart enough for the work, being now very low in spirit and persuaded that I was not suit into the world for any purpose but to be the prey of others.

Nor did I venture to hire a cab in the usual way, for my whole wealth was little more than three pounds of English money, and I was minded to husband it as much as possible.

As for the omnibus, I had grown to dread at that time the Park was closed; but this distressed me little, for I made short work of climbing the fence, choosing a suitable spot where there was none to observe me.

Yet for fear of the patrol, if any, I went with the greatest caution until I had found me a sort of thicket where I might lie close till the morning.

There, then, having made me a bed with boughs that I cut with my knife, and with my bundle for a pillow, I began to be more at my ease

Thus resting, but not yet being disposed to sleep, I began to review in my mind my stock of goods, such as it was, to see if there were anything which might be spared; and it was my plan to sell all such things, and with the money thus obtained to betake me from this leland to some ferocious and brutish country where a man might live with more security.

Also recalling many catalogues of dealers and auctions (which had ever been the favorite reading of George Rats) I determined to make a catalogue of my superfluities, using the right and suitable words of description so far as I could remember them.

Thus, then, I began:

One handkerchief—Used. Perforation irregular and without water-mark. Barely offered in this state.

Summer suit.—By Moses Hesstein. Interesting cuts. Rather spotted. Cloth, shabby. N. D.

Large tablespoon.—By accident, after dinner. Beautiful plate. Lettered, "Cafe Cartlon, Bump street, Parnell Green."

Small cigar.—Strawberry roan. By luck out of side show. Only needs to be seen. Would suit nervous gentleman.

I had proceeded no further in my list when the deep silence of the night was broken by the most terrific sound known to man.

It was none other than the angry roar of the African lion; I recognized it immediately, and beyond mistake. Words are powerless to depict be my feelings.

I felt like the brutal and ferocious schoolmaster in, having feigned of late that every omnibus took me straight to Hammersmith, so

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What Did Prof. Berrich Really See?

"Probably the Very Soul of the Wife He Had Just Murdered," Is the Solemn Reply of Scieme After a Series of Remarkable Experimems.

ADOLPH BERRICH, a gaunt, emeciated maniac, was captured by the sheriff and a posse last month on the prairie, nine miles from Colorado Springs, Col. To the physician at the County Jail, where he was first taken, he immediately became an object of intense interest by revealing himself as a student of advanced physics and chemistry.

Fragmentary utterances indicated further that the new inmate had fled from Boston, Mass., that he was Professor Adolph Berrich, and that he had killed his own wife in the interests of science. In a rambling way he has described an experiment with a fluorescent screen, ultra-violet rays and other apparatus, and a human soul floating away.

Berrich's statements were so remarkable that a search was made of the cave in which he had been leading a hermit's life for years, in the hope that something more tangible might be found of the soul-seeing apparatus to which he referred so often.

The searchers found nothing of importance but a very lengthy manuscript, very illegible at times. Though the document is unsigned, its author is in all probability Professor Berrich, for it relates in slightly less fragmentary form the details of the ghastly scientific experiment on which the mind of the maniac is forever dwelling.

Considered alone as an unsubstantiated document, the curious manuscript of Professor Berrich is of little apparent value, and may be dismissed as the irresponsible ravings of a lunatic. But it becomes of tremendous import now when considered in connection with the experiments which have just been completed by Professor Elmer Gates, the Washington scientist. He has found that it was not impossible for him to have done so

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—From the confession of Prof Berrich

apparatus which Berrich ramblingly describes over and over again, day after day. Professor Gates claims to have duplicated the soul seeing experiment of the dead Professor Berrich. He used a dying rat in the final and most successful test, and detected, it is declared, a shadow which passed over the specially prepared screen and faded away as the little animal died.

Berrich asserts that he saw the soul of his own wife in his experiment. The discovery by the Washington scientist indicates that it was not impossible for him to have done so

The Amazing Berrich Confession.

"SO it seemed to me that what would be most worth knowing on this earth would be whether there is or is not any hereafter. My training in the sciences naturally prompted me to scientific investigation, but for years my results were absolutely negative.

"Ten years ago I was convinced that science had no way of solving the subject—and, indeed, in the hands at that time, I left the United States and spent several years in other countries. Into all those relics of superstition known as the black arts I delved.

"After seven years I fell in love in Paris and married a beautiful but vain girl much younger than myself. I resolved and promised to give up my crazy ideas and live only for the present, as all animals and most people do.

"We were quite happy for six months which was spent in Europe. Then my old desire crept back upon me.

"Every night my wife knelt by the bedside and prayed. At first she prayed out loud for her dead parents and for herself and for me. It was no use to argue with her that there are no trustworthy evidences of a soul and that the hereafter is a myth invented by simple minds. She had to admit the strength of my arguments, offered none in return but kept on with her prayers.

"As soon as the prayer was over she dropped quickly to sleep. I, however, was doomed to follow out till the small hours the chain of doubts and views engendered by her prayer."

Several lines are partially obliterated by the weather at this point, but the sense is evident from the remaining words:

"From that moment I was possessed by an idea. A fixed idea, psychologists call it. I recognized it, fought against it, criticized it—and the insane do not criticize their ideas—but I was not insane. Yet the idea grew upon me each night that if I could kill a human being in the right way and be all prepared I might see the human soul

"If I could but catch a glimpse of the soul as it forsook the dead body all doubt and misery would all be at an end. I felt that my life would be peaceful ever after and that I would atone for the murder by spreading the truth of immortality to all the world. That would surely be worth one life."

Many of what he had endured in Old World travels, the narrator of a revolting crime, turned homeward, "but better had I drawn lessons from the legends of Vanderdecken, the Flying Dutchman," he says, "or Ahasuerus, the Wandering Jew, cursed with perpetual youth and ever seeking an elixir of death.

"In my sleepless nights the temptation was terrible to slay the woman who lay breathing silently beside me. She, with her prayers, was half the cause of my misery.

"At last I saw that I must eventually yield to my unreason, and determined to prepare for it. Science had progressed mightily in the eight years since I had relinquished it. Great discoveries were made with the wide range of light rays on the invisible side of violet. From the little to the octave of light visible to the eye they run up and up like the notes of a piano, only infinitely higher pitches.

"I had long been zealous in experiment and with these new facts on our return to Boston I fitted our house up with many instruments."

"My wife, a sweet but unintellectual and vain person, showed an enthusiasm in my work. She refused to enter my laboratory, and seemed to shudder at my harmless fluoroscope and light bulbs.

"One night my fixed idea rose in its gradually acquired might and took command of me. My wife had just returned from a fashionable ball

"She complained of a terrible headache and accepted my offer to relieve it. I gave her a hypodermic of morphia

"I delivered my gift for an overdose, but not a fatal one. The effects of the drug came on instantly, the headache passed, she thanked me drowsily and was soon insensible, lying in her ball gown breathing heavily.

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"Then I raised my instruments from the laboratory and arranged them. My heart beat as it never had before. It was not a palpitation, but a strong surging beat which sent the blood to my brain in a steadier, stronger stream than usual. My faculties seemed exceptionally acute, as well they might be, for I felt that I was to be the first scientist and perhaps the first man to see a human soul.

"At last the instruments were arranged, tested and found to be working perfectly. Behind me were the tubes emitting the ultra-violet light. They were placed behind me because I believed that I could see the soul in reflected light as it really looked, and not a mere shadow as it would appear between me and the light. My fluorescent screen had a lens attachment for focusing an image which I believe was an entirely new idea

"I opened a secret drawer in my secretary and took therefrom the most deadly of all substances—a drop of death, a hypodermic syringe filled with cyanic acid, two drops of which injected into the veins produces instant death leaving no purple blotches or traces of any kind

"At first an indistinguishable shadow seemed to be gathering just above the body, rapidly assuming the outlines of the human form, and most perfect in its symmetry. The features bore the likeness of the dead, and were beautiful beyond description. The delicate, clear and ethereal being floated gently in the atmosphere with eyes closed, until the process of nature seemed complete, when they opened and a sublime intelligence passed over the face. It floated through the air a moment, and then as if impelled by some attraction, moved like a vapory mass toward a half open window, passed out and was gone forever from my sight.

"The eyes seemed to look toward me an instant. The expression changed. Not anger, nor reproach, but utter amazement was depicted on that filmy countenance as it drifted out of range of my screen.

"For some time I stood like one stricken dumb. The enormity of the crime I had committed came like an avalanche upon my brain. Again and again I called my wife's name and only the echo of her wailing voice answered me

"I destroyed all evidence of my guilt and fled from the city of Boston away to the mountains of the West, there for two years I have lived in seclusion, many times meditating my own life, but always being deterred from my purpose for since I want

Prof. Gates and apparatus through which he claims he saw the soul leave the body of a dying rat.

A—Shadow which casts only while there is life.

B—Upon death of a rat a faint shadow is seen moving across the sensitized screen

C—Shadow loses strength as it nears top of screen.

D—Hermetically sealed glass tube in which rat was placed to die

E—Apparatus which generates the new electrical rays

ed first to prove what I have all this time been trying to move

"My death, but the beginning of it

"My mind is weak and fogged as I write this, and my memory bothers me. I am probably going insane, if I am not already so

"Well, so be it. I am glad to experience insanity, for in fact I will call off all and I see what it is like."

(The rest of the manuscript ends at this point. There is no signature. It is thought there may possibly have been more.)

Prof Adolph Berrich as he is today.

Funny Adventures and Mishaps of the Immortal Old Historical Character Among Strange People and Manners In Modern London

Reduced to Extremity, He Hunts In the Park and Gets a Sheep.

RISING early next morning I came forth from my night's rest and my way with stealth to the waterside, and there, after much seeking, I lighted on three nests.

Two of these were real duck's eggs, and of the third I cannot speak more particularly, as I found, on tasting it, that the copyright had expired.

Nor did I dare to make a fire and so cook them in the ashes, lest by the smoke attract human being or keep off wild animals.

I also saw a swan. And how I is pining here above! But when I'd got a brick to throw I found the bird had gone.

So once more I went back to my hiding place, and there lay until such time as the park was reported and I might venture to show myself, then, going forth from the park, I came upon a milkman with his cart, and before each door he deposited a can of big milk. And at this I found tears, for here (so my thoughts ran) I had at last discovered an example of that simple and brotherly trust which I had thought to be now extinct among men.

Why should it not be ever thus?

Why are not cordials distributed to a similar manner?

In sum, then, so debased and sunken in civilization that he can be trusted with nothing but milk and the Encyclopaedia Britannica!

Having beaten my breast, I then proceeded to business.

However, even here my ill fortune pursued me, for just as I was drinking my second can of milk the door before which it had been placed suddenly opened, and a woman appeared clad principally in what happened to come first.

I think I have seen in my life did I but so much noise made about so little milk for I had not left a third of a pint in the can.

But I remembered my father's advice, viz., to quit all unseemly brawling, and so did not stay to discuss the matter with her; and as her costume was such as to prevent her from venturing beyond her doorstep I passed quickly around the corner.

But I now determined that ever after this if I should have occasion to take milk in this way I would first secure the handle of the can by a stout piece of twine, rail or post, or if there was none such, then to the handle of the next door.

Thus it had always been with me since I came to this island, viz., that what one accustomed to civilization would do with ease and safety I did with but great risk and difficulty.

I make no doubt that George Rex would have collected the milk all down one street and sold it again all down the next without one such unhappy altercation as had befallen me.

I then made my way back to the park again, and failing into talk with the park keeper learned much about the Zoo, though nothing to my profit; for the sum of which one is assigned in existence money was more than I could easily earn, and I found that even if I paid this sum down, lions would have been put up to prevent the public getting at the lions and injuring or defrauding them.

This I could not but applaud, as well for its wisdom as for its generosity, for I make no doubt that if such a one as George Rex had not been thus prevented he would have taken the lion's name to stuff a sofa-cushion, removed the gold stopping from its back teeth, and secured the serial use of its Sunday dinner for the next three years at sacrificial prices.

Yet there was little need to protect the poor beast from me, seeing that I was quite innocent of civilization, and only anxious to be friendly, so that this talk of park keepers did but add to my dejection.

In this state of mind, then, I met about as remote a spot as I could find, most daring to enter my hiding place by day light, and there pondered upon my situation—to be without friends or help in a dangerously civilized country, with ripe guavas exceedingly scarce and the geology of lions priced far beyond my means.

But there was somewhat also to be said up on the other side, and, tasting out my note book, I made out the account as follows:

EVIL.

I have outlived my epoch and almost forgotten my long vanished youth.

I am come to a civilized country, where all is strange to me,

I am credibly informed that the police are fearsome Germans and jiu-jitsu.

GOOD.

But I outlived it on purpose; and if I wish to recall the past centuries I have the same access as others to the refreshment Room of the British Museum.

But I should have had more cause to grumble if my path had sunk half-way, yes—vile wretch that I am—I should then have grumbled less.

But I have this morning heard from a lady with a pernicious manner that if little girls—strong, good, naughty policemans don't get them. No, sharp tempered, my pos-

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I am credibly informed that the police are fearsome Germans and jiu-jitsu.

GOOD.

But I outlived it on purpose; and if I wish to recall the past centuries I have the same access as others to the refreshment Room of the British Museum.

But I should have had more cause to grumble if my path had sunk half-way, yes—vile wretch that I am—I should then have grumbled less.

But I have this morning heard from a lady with a pernicious manner that if little girls—strong, good, naughty policemans don't get them. No, sharp tempered, my pos-

sible, for just as I was drinking my second can of milk the door before which it had been placed suddenly opened, and a woman appeared clad principally in what happened to come first.

I think I have seen in my life did I but so much noise made about so little milk for I had not left a third of a pint in the can.

But I remembered my father's advice, viz., to quit all unseemly brawling, and so did not stay to discuss the matter with her; and as her costume was such as to prevent her from venturing beyond her doorstep I passed quickly around the corner.

But I now determined that ever after this if I should have occasion to take milk in this way I would first secure the handle of the can by a stout piece of twine, rail or post, or if there was none such, then to the handle of the next door.

Thus it had always been with me since I came to this island, viz., that what one accustomed to civilization would do with ease and safety I did with but great risk and difficulty.

I make no doubt that George Rex would have collected the milk all down one street and sold it again all down the next without one such unhappy altercation as had befallen me.

I then made my way back to the park again, and failing into talk with the park keeper learned much about the Zoo, though nothing to my profit; for the sum of which one is assigned in existence money was more than I could easily earn, and I found that even if I paid this sum down, lions would have been put up to prevent the public

I have lost a great part of my money

I am a miserable outcast, and a confirmed breast-beater.

Now by this time my mind was much relieved, for on casting all up and striking my balance I found, so near as I could tell, that I still owed Providence about one dollar and thirteen cents; and whereas I had before seen no other way by which I might get my dinner than by going out and paying for it, I now took fresh heart and resolved to set my wits to work.

This was now impossible, for I was no longer upon a desert island, with a convenient wreck to serve as a General Emporium and morning and evening deliveries by express tide of all goods required.

I was in a commercial centre, viz., a place where one might not perhaps have what you paid for, but you would certainly have to pay for what you had.

I was the victim, too, of further rules and regulations, all strange to me, as I presently found, for, taking from my pocket a kind of pipe or whistle that I had purchased for my entertainment while I was with George Rex, I had no sooner begun upon a finished and sympathetic rendering of the Prelude from the Mastersingers than a park keeper most strongly ordered me to desist and put that diamthing in my pocket

To this I did very obediently, reflecting on the change from my last place, where (quoth he) "you may play the fool as much as you like and then very slowly" I was more rich of all I surveyed; and my right there was none to dispute; and none interfered with me, I played a thing of my own on the flute.

For the space, then, of two hours or more I set my wits to work, pacing the park the while, as I have frequently found that by a gentle exercise the processes of the mind are somewhat aided

Also, I encouraged myself greatly, saying,

"Come, you overcome the cannibals; you made yourself a meal-going boat out of an old tree and a bit of stamp-paper; you discovered the secret of eternal middle age; you wrote a moral and improving book of adventures for the young. Now, again, you have but to think out the means to the end."

At the conclusion of this time my activity of mind and body had engendered in me a very hearty and natural appetite for food, but had not indicated any method by which I might obtain my dinner without paying for it.

And at first I was reluctant to do this, for my entire capital was but small, and in so doing I must needs lose a part of it; but I conquered this when I looked more closely into the matter for capital is of no avail unless it be productive of interest, which mine at this moment was not.

Happily, to spend it upon my dinner was a manner of making that capital productive of interest in the form of renewed strength, spirits and mental activity.

So I went to the nearest eating house and intested forthwith three cents.

On my return I discovered at once the means which I had been seeking of procuring my dinner for the future without paying for it.

I observed in the park a flock of sheep straying in the direction of that close plantation or thicket where I had lain the night before

What could be simpler for me, choosing my moment, than to make a sudden rush among one of those sheep into my lair, to despatch it with my knife?

I should by this action be inserting for the other sheep the more grass to eat, lessening the competition between them, and thus conferring no small kindness upon their persons.

So then with no little cunning I marked down my sheep and went after it, and at the same time a large dog, of whose presence I had been unaware, went after me.

It was an interesting event, but spoiled by the most disgraceful uproar and confusion on the course.

Dog won; park-keeper and policeman second and third. Also ran, two house maids, a telegraph boy and the waiter from the refreshment kiosk.

(Continued Next Sunday.)

"Two of these were real duck eggs, and of the third I cannot speak more particularly, as I found on tasting it, the copyright had expired."

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MAY IRWIN'S COOKING LESSONS

A Page of My Choicest Recipes.

No. 4

The Fourth Lesson In a Very Instructive New Series on Proper Foods and the Proper Way to Prepare Them.

By MAY IRWIN

No housewife who has the least pride in her conduct of the kitchen and the duties she either desires or periodically performs as comfort to follow a humdrum routine. Some change is needed to variety the spice of life, so this woman will be glad to receive suggestions. Here is a Miss May Irwin gives to-day in which she discusses a number of her choicest recipes and tells exactly how to prepare the dishes, make this, the fourth article in the series which she is writing for this newspaper. It will be found a peaceful and helpful of her entire cour

The subject of the lesson is the cutlet, which will appear next week. [illegible]

THERE is not a lady in the land but has one's favorite dishes and one's favorite way of cooking them. Usually one has this favorite dish and that favorite perfume, has this favorite color and that favorite song, has favorite poet and favorite book, but what we all are interested in is a person's specialty in cooking the product to be used. My favorite dish is [illegible] table of things. Here are some of [illegible]

EGGS AND MUSHROOMS

One pound of fresh mushrooms cleaned well in several waters, don't let them stand, peel and put in a stew pan with two ounces of butter, half a teaspoon of salt and a dash of white pepper. Set them over the fire and [illegible] heated, turn into a shallow baking dish, and break [illegible] parsley and chopped thyme, two bay leaves and a few Tarragon leaves may be added.

CREAM OF CORN

One can of corn and one quart of water to boil together for one hour, then taken off and strained. Add two eggs, beaten well, one pint of milk, five tablespoons of cream. Mix all well together. Do not put on the stove until almost ready to serve; then stir until it is taken off. Hot toasted crackers are nice served with this

OLD FASHIONED VEGETABLE SOUP.

Half a shin of beef.
A knuck'e of veal.
Two pounds of mutton, off the neck.

Put this on the fire in a large soup kettle, in water in much more than cover it, without salt; let it simmer all day; set it off the fire in the evening in a cool place; in the morning put in cereal potatoes, onions, turnips, sausage soup greens half a can of tomatoes, half a cup of large barley, salt and black pepper and a large tablespoon of brown sugar, and let it cook two or three hours. The vegetables should all be cut in small pieces, but not chopped in a machine. Cook for two hours and [illegible]

SOUTHERN CHICKEN PIE.

This looks like a lot of bother, but it's worth it. Select a yellow Philadelphia fowl weighing four or five pounds, clean carefully, singe, and cut it up in [illegible] water enough to cover it, and let it [illegible] gently until it begins to grow tender. Save this broth with the giblets. Now cut the chicken in small pieces, also a quarter of a pound of fat pork very thin, and fry it with the chicken until it is brown. After the chicken and pork are fried take them up, and add into the pan in which they were cooked a tablespoon of flour. Stir it over the fire until brown; then add a pint of the chicken broth, a teaspoon of salt, quarter of a salt spoon of pepper, [illegible] stir this gravy until it has boiled two minutes, and use it for the pie.

To make the crust Mix together in a bowl with a knife one pound of flour, one teaspoon of salt, two tablespoons of butter, and [illegible] enough cold water to hold it together. Roll it out about an inch thick; cut a quarter of a pound of butter in slices, and lay it all over the paste; fold it and wrap in a floured towel, and put in the ice box for half an hour. Roll out, repeating the [illegible] with another quarter of a pound of butter. Roll it to a thickness of [illegible] it in three thicknesses, and roll it out again. If the butter cracks through, it spoils in a few minutes. Let it lie in the ice box half an hour before using. Line a deep pie dish with paste, put in alternate layers of the chicken and sliced raw potatoes, season each layer as the dish will hold it, with a little chopped parsley, salt and pepper, and cover with the gravy. Wetting the crust around the edge, put on the top crust and press the edges together to [illegible]

TO COOK BACON PROPERLY

I don't remember where I got the [illegible] but I do recall that it was couched in such flowery terms it sounded quite fine, and the colored girl said the other day, "It looks good to me,"—so I cut it out and it is all that it promises.

To crisp bacon to that point of toothsome delicacy that it breaks in the mouth and liberates not a suspicion of grease, lay the slices on a large platter and turn them frequently, pouring off the melted grease as it gathers. When brown lift it out and drain fully on to soft paper and set it in the oven to dry. The bacon will be crisp enough of all grease to serve on a napkin, if prepared in this way.

SARAH'S FRUIT CAKE

One dozen eggs
One pound of butter.
One pound of flour
Three pounds of raisins
Three pounds of currants
Three pounds of sugar
Three pounds of citron
Three tablespoons of cinnamon
One teaspoon of mace
One teaspoon of nutmeg
Two tablespoons of rose water
One pint of brandy

One teaspoon of soda and two of cream of tartar mixed with a little milk.

Rub the butter and sugar until it creams; beat yolks of eggs and add to the sugar and butter, then add the molasses, the spices, the flour, the fruits (which have been [illegible] currants, reserved for Mother's [illegible] plum pudding, first from the [illegible] and brandy. Dissolve soda and cream of tartar in a cup of milk, and add; then the flour. Blanch the almonds, which means to pour boiling water over them to take the skins off, split them and add. Mix well. Bake in a moderately heated oven four hours. Put in stone jar, when cool; pour over it one quart of the best French cooking brandy, and cover securely from the air. This is to be kept one year, when it is usually adjudged by all to be [illegible]

A tip from one who knows. Keep this [illegible] and guard the combination well, as it is very tempting.

SISTER ELOS SPAGHETTI

Half a pound of Italian Spaghetti (the kind that comes in small short packages is decidedly better than [illegible] gradually it is added to boiling salted water to cover it well, being careful not to break it. Boil slowly twenty minutes (no more) and serve immediately with the following sauce: two pounds of nice lean beef cut as for a stew; one can of tomatoes, chopped up; one green pepper, chopped (seeds extracted); one bay leaf (whole); two cloves of garlic, cut up. Put the beef in a kettle, and cover with a pint and a half of water; let it simmer for two hours, but be careful it does not boil; then add the tomatoes, pepper, garlic, and bay leaf, and cook slowly all day; then strain, and add salt to taste. The earlier this sauce is started the better it is. It will keep perfectly if put up in an air tight jar and kept in the ice box, and serves only to heat the [illegible] When ready, serve spaghetti with sauce poured over it, and sprinkle with Parmesan and American cheese (grated) mixed half and half.

JOHN CHAMBERLAIN'S WELSH RAREBIT

Two ounces of cheese, half an ounce of butter, one teaspoon of made mustard, two tablespoons of cream, season with cayenne and black pepper. Grate the cheese in a bowl, run all smooth with a spoon or pestle to a uniform paste, adding or not a tablespoon of ale, porter, beer, or champagne. Make all of rather thick toast, which dip an instant in boiling water and place in an oven. Transfer your cheese mixture to a saucepan and stir over gentle heat until melted; then heat up quickly, pour over toast, and serve. The quantity is for one person.

MAY IRWIN.

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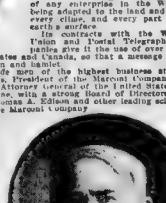

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Any baby under seven years of age in any town, city or State in America is eligible.

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Health, beauty and intelligence.

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And if your little girl baby or boy baby has all these blessings all you have to do is to have his or her photograph nicely taken, being sure that the picture-maker brings out to the fullest all his prettiest points. Be most engaging tricks of manner, the slickest expressions of his little intelligence, the most admirable presentation of his physical comeliness.

All merits and conditions of babies, of course, will pour in on us—fat babies and lean babies, and baby blondes and baby brunettes—for think how many leaves there are in a nine cold million in America—and United States babies there are was a note for the prizes. Our judges will have no easy task to nicely adjust the desirable awards.

But they are to be of the most discriminating, most painstaking and most qualified. They are not all quite yet decided upon—but you may rest assured that they will be very distinguished persons, well known to the readers of these columns.

And they will have to demount all the old baby show standards and pass judgment in a scientific, rational and thoroughly up-to-date basis. Of the three requisites, of health, beauty and intelligence, they must solemnly decide whether beauty shall count twenty-five per cent or fifty, and what relative percentage health or later genius shall assume in the resultant whole.

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Sam Loyd's Alphabetical Arithmetic.

BY SAM LOYD.

HERE is another interesting little puzzle in alphabetical arithmetic, and if you have solved the puzzle of last week and the week before you should not find this one so.

This is the way to do it: Add to the faces a boot and a hive. Then subtract from the sum of these letters a few aces and a ticket-seller's booth. There will be something left over you have worked this example, and if you have not made any mistakes it will give you the right answer. The correct answer to last Sunday's arithmetic puzzle is "thirteen." This is the way it was solved:

Write down the words "twice," "ashes," and "canteen" and from these letters strike out "twice," "can," and the letter "e." If you do this you will see that the letters which remain spell "thirteen."

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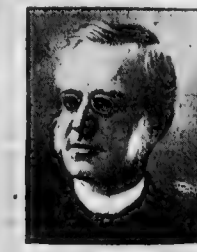

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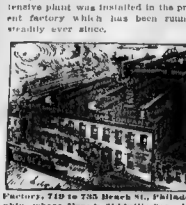

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"Bees can Get to Places Quick."

"There are Some Things Tige Doesn't Even Pretend to Like"

CHAPTER V.

NOW after Tige had completely gotten over his shock at seeing an elephant for the first time, we got as busy as ever, exploring all the nooks and corners of the farm. It was hide and seek with Tige and me and the hens. Most of the hens wanted to set, and they were laying their eggs in all sorts of odd and out-of-the-way places so we could not find them. We found them all right though, and kept grandma supplied with a small basketful each day.

You see I was a very small boy, and all of this farm business was new to me, because I had lived in New York. There was so much to learn. I never got tired of studying things. The flowers especially had me fascinated. It seemed so marvellous to think that out of the dead earth a plant would spring and that leaves of inconceivable beauty and perfect design would grow on the stems, and at last a beautiful flower would grow, perfect under the microscope behind as well as before. I found there was no behind the scenes with nature. But what seemed so wonderful to me and so enchanting was the delightful odor. I never thought of these things when I saw flowers in the florists' shops.

How my heart aches for children penned up in the city where their minds and souls grow as narrow and cramped as the streets and dwellings that surround them. Well, as I watched the flowers every day I soon realized that all those little bees that I saw were not idling but were busily working at getting something out of the flowers. I asked Tige what it was and he said they were getting honey. "What do they do with it?" I asked. So he went on to tell me that the bees lived in hives and stored their honey there. I had had hives, but didn't see how they could live in any of the hives I had had.

So Tige took me to see the bee hives. On our way he told me about the bees. He said there were honey bees and spelling bees. I wish I could hear a bee spell. I don't see how a bee can spell with his one letter b. Tige said there were quilting bees and husking bees. He told me lots of funny things about them and he composed a verse like this:

A B, U C, will not drink T:
He is 2 busy 2, U C.

Well, I went to the place where the bees lived, and saw them going in and out all hard at work making those wonderful little cells and filling them full of honey. I watched those tiny little busy creatures and the beautiful flowers among which they worked, the beautiful trees and bright blue sky, and although I was only a very little boy I couldn't help wondering about the wise, sweet and compassionate Providence that made all things so beautiful and wonderful, and I know that the One who created all these things could not have made any punishment for His own creatures except what they inflict on themselves.

We got stung, but we inflicted it on ourselves, because I was so curious to see how the bees made that honey that I upset one of their hives, and—well! I'll never do THAT again. Tige got stung a few himself, but you see he was with me. You are not safe as long as you are WITH a wrong-doer, so Tige was in at the finish. He went to bed that night with a bread and milk poultice on his tail.

(To be continued next Sunday.)

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FOXY GRANDPA

Foxy Grandpa Shows the Boys That a Bat Can Be Useful in More Ways Than One

1 BOYS "A nice sandwich would go well after our little ball game, wouldn't it, Gran'pa dear?"

2 BOYS. "So sorry, Gran'pa, but we only brought one each."

3 BOYS: "Yes, Gran'pa dear, we are sorry we haven't another for you, but perhaps you don't like ham sandwiches."

4. GRANDPA: "Don't worry about your old Grandpa, boys. He generally comes prepared for emergencies."

5 GRANDPA. "Why, yes, boys, this is a sectional dairy lunch bat, and here seems to be something in the lower half."

6. GRANDPA: "Dear me, look, boys. Why, it's a nice juicy blackberry jam sandwich."

POLITICS & ART

EDITORIAL SECTION

SCIENCE · LITERATURE ·

BOSTON AMERICAN, SUNDAY, APRIL 8, 1906.

Man Is a Living Question Mark.

Life Is a Long, Ceaseless Interrogation of the Unknown. BUT DON'T SPEND TOO MUCH TIME on the Unknowable.

QUESTIONING, wondering, we spend our lives. Questioning and still wondering we leave this world.

From birth to death the world, the universe, and BIRTH and DEATH themselves are mysteries.

In every mind, strong or weak, there is the passion for knowledge, the intense craving TO KNOW.

This questioning nature of ours touching, studying, examining everything has given to us all that we know, all our knowledge. It will give us in future ages, slowly but surely, acquaintance with the marvels of creation and the realm of the unknown equal to our ultimate powers of understanding.

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Your desire to know more than you do is the best feature of your mental make-up. Your questioning, your dissatisfaction with your own ignorance, are absolutely essential to your mental growth. The dull mind is known at once because it accepts things as they are, asks no questions, takes everything for granted.

Humanity would be a sadly, stagnant, hopeless thing if it were not for the fact that almost every human being is a living question mark, a constant interrogation. Every pair of human eyes, every human brain is turned toward the sky, toward the mysteries of the other world, toward the past history of this little earth, AND TOWARD THE SOLUTION, THE EXPLANATION STILL SO FAR BEYOND US.

Any man who seeks to discourage in others the tendency to question and doubt and investigates for himself renders a poor service to mankind.

Investigation for one's self is demanded by the Bible in the Text:

"Prove all things; hold fast to that which is good." Thessalonians, 5:21.

And this text explains exactly how human beings have gradually accumulated their supply of knowledge through proving or studying all things and holding fast to that which is proved and accepted.

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In the beginning of man's history, so far back that ancient great son stood in our North as our North Star stands now, studying and questioning of the night and its inhabitants began among the earliest men undoubtedly.

And very slowly through all the ages, all the tens of centuries this studying has gone on. Our property on this earth has been classified and made useful. One by one the grain that we eat has been developed from the weeds. One by one the metals have been conquered. One by one nature's forces have been subdued.

Thought, which first harnessed the wild buffalo, harnesses now the power of the lightning, as it will harness in future the power of the tides, the force of the moon and ultimately the direct and unlimited power of our great sun itself.

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The GROWTH of humanity will cease when humanity's questioning and striving for knowledge shall cease, as real life is dead in the old man when he no longer recognizes those about him, when he no longer seeks for knowledge of the strangers that come.

There is, however, one kind of questioning, one form of morbid intellectual persistence that is harmful sometimes. This we wish to discuss with you to-day. This QUESTIONING THAT CAN GIVE NO RESULTS is illustrated in the picture on this page.

There are questions that must remain unanswered AS LONG AS WE SHALL BE FINITE, LIMITED BEINGS.

In this excellently conceived drawing, the man shaped like a question mark neglects the work that might be done while he gazes hopelessly and fruitlessly into empty space, seeing a wall that is not there, asking questions that will not be answered.

Schopenhauer, a great philosopher, but filled with bitterness of Soul, illustrated this in his work, "Die Welt Als wille und Ausstellung."

A military leader invades the enemy's country. He meets a fortress upon a high rock—absolutely unitakable. With his entire force of men he camps down in front of that rock determined to do nothing else UNTIL the fort shall surrender AND THERE HE SPENDS AND WASTES THE REST OF HIS LIFE WITHOUT RESULTS.

He might have looked at that fortress, realized its impregnable character, marched around it, captured valuable cities in the rear, made himself master of a rich country, to return perhaps in time to receive the submission of the fortress on the rock.

* * *

Many men start out on a mental campaign and make the same mistake. They meet a question that cannot be answered, an intellectual problem that cannot be solved. They settle down in front of some unanswerable question, as "Where did I come from and why?" "Or where am I going and what for?"

And there they spend their lives without answer, with no result.

Suppose that the men engaged in the study of electricity had spent their whole time on the baffling, still unanswered question, "What IS electricity?" No man knows what electricity IS. But Edison and the others did not waste their time and neglect other work because they could not answer THAT question. They realized that electricity is a power, that it can be used. And they have been using it and working with it and benefiting all of humanity, not troubling themselves about the fact that they do not know what it IS.

And so it should be with the man who is constantly worrying himself about the great question as to the supreme POWER in this Universe. No man can know what it is, no man could COMPREHEND it, if he did know.

But we all know that the GREAT POWER is there. That it works for our good, that under its influence we can develop, grow spiritually and materially. Protected by Eternal kindness and wisdom, we can solve the thousands of important problems THAT ARE WITHIN OUR MENTAL REACH. Our duty is to do THAT, not to torment ourselves with the study of the unknowable.

Beyond

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By Ella Wheeler Wilcox

Reprinted at the request of Ella Wheeler Wilcox in memory of her mother, who died recently.

1

It seemeth such a little way to me
Across to that strange country—the Beyond;
And yet not strange, for it has grown to be
The home of those of whom I am so fond,
They make it seem familiar and most dear,
As journeying friends bring distant regions near.

2

So close it lies that when my sight is clear
I think I almost see the gleaming strand.
I know I feel those who have gone from here
Come near enough sometimes to touch my hand.
I often think but for our veiled eyes
We should find Heaven right round about us lies.

3

I cannot make it seem a day to dread,
When from this dear earth I shall journey out
To that still dearer country of the dead,
And join the lost ones so long dreamed about.
I love this world, yet shall I love to go
And meet the friends who wait for me, I know.

4

I never stand above a bier and see
The seal of death set on some well-loved face
But that I think, "One more to welcome me
When I shall cross the intervening space
Between this land and that one 'over there';
One more to make the strange Beyond seem fair."

5

And so for me there is no sting to death,
And so the grave has lost its victory.
It is but crossing—with a bated breath
And white, set face—a little strip of sea,
To find the loved ones waiting on the shore,
More beautiful, more precious than before.

The Tiger of the Jungle

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I see the one is as good as curse one. One
I was goin about a week rode thru the
jungle with I see a hoop snake riding tord me
with her in his hand and a-fixed a frown on its
face. and I says to myself, says I, Jack, this
is no time for you to behave his
self with he bout at work. I flat him off of a
elfe in ten years ago here's plow corn

I set Pete Ned and Lemuel of the hoop
snake and I se said I was so grateful for my
saved life that I give it to the natif nigger
and he set down under it

But Jack Pete with the wicked suffer,
he lets the I gun at it, so he and Uncle
Ned set the nigger

I eith fokes to give a name. He takes with
he set he says, says he, Jack, Jack, he was
casted away on a South Sea Island the na-
tif niggers they catched him and took him
fore their King, and the King he sed, Where
do you live?

Jack he sed, In the fokestelle wen I have
got one, but I am, Lord I a Hunny Lahi

The King he turns I his nose up and sed, I
don't care a-tall about a re-sa-sebuet, jest
a name, I says

The Jack a-speeches and sed Boldpoe

The King he sed, Dat's a right nice name
for a dog, but I don't like it for a man

They got I and to be Prime Minister and
said Tek the effect and bile the Injidens
out of him and serve him up for my dinner

The Prime he sed his hed again the
ground an sed, Wot shall we do with the im-
diggent

The King he sed A monark shude provide
generously for his people. You fellers may
keep the Injun for to-morrow's breakfast

I set Jack and the Ink him and he sed
No one we likes but get us shoe of fo
Lucky to and that scar he got
a rib nose gorilly which is tattooted on my
breast, and the King sed, I see thats the por-
trate of his sweet hart, we will spair him
for his faithfulness and curridge, cos the luv-
ing are the dairing.

So I was made a major general and give
command of the Kings army, for to suply his
table with the fo.

But if me and Billy had been there we
would not a [illegible] got no
[illegible]

"I se a hoop snake roling tord me."

By Little Johnny

Bible it says a dinner of erbs is better than a
salted ox.

And thats why I say fride chicken with the King of Erbs

plenty of mint and pickle and finger bred
and molasses and custish and ice cream is

"And the Tag he jumpt rite over me thru the hoop."

Higher Law Must Be Repealed

By Arthur McEwen

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The [illegible] problem before the American people is how to [illegible] Higher Law.'

[illegible] that problem must be solved if a republican [illegible] is to exist in the United States.

[illegible] was expressed and [illegible] one of its [illegible] experiences I would be [illegible] ago at [illegible] Astor House in New York [illegible] Republican county, in whose behalf [illegible] were to be expended upward of $1,000,000, while [illegible] trustees of the city nation, [illegible] politics and [illegible] pending ignorance of the yellow dog fund and seeking to place the [illegible] million upon the memory of the late President McKinley, founder of the 'Higher Law' [illegible] perilously qualifying it with [illegible] word 'honest' out of deference to the criminal statutes.

The [illegible] word **to-day is the** [illegible] ficial proposition [illegible] United States. And as great [illegible] must. [illegible] Law. In defending [illegible] ask cover our [illegible] broke [illegible] ing them out in [illegible] stone and [illegible] was. You are [illegible] ing the Higher [illegible] good enterprises have [illegible] to command.

The Higher Law [illegible] harasses its practitioners to disobey and evade [illegible] Higher Laws enacted by Congress and State Legislatures [illegible] City Councils, but the moral law itself [illegible]

It warrants the employment of lobbyists, empowered to draw secretly upon vast "reptile fund" funds for the procurement and prevention of legislation desired or feared by "great corporations."

Hamilton took nobody by surprise when he told [illegible] when [illegible] in State capital he was [illegible] the Empire [illegible] and [illegible] Lobbyists, [illegible] as [illegible] who played no [illegible] this way, [illegible] the business world [illegible] scandal that does not [illegible] under the Ingalls [illegible] Hamilton's confession [illegible] frank defiance of punishable crime. He differs from [illegible] merely in having gone of his own[illegible] to publish [illegible] to the [illegible] of his calling.

The ordinary man, being honest, finds it difficult to understand how one can [illegible] of wrong and [illegible] to [illegible] right. He is [illegible] to [illegible] millionaires. [illegible] following the Higher Law they [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

[illegible] [illegible]

Maybe sooner [illegible] he thought was possible [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

Here's a NEW RECIPE FOR GETTING STAGE EXPERIENCE

By Alan Dale

"Adding up stolid rows of refractory figures when they might be thrilling multitudes as Hamlet."

I'M going to be very helpful and good to-day, bringing joy to the hearts of thousands of worthy young men who rebel at an unhappy Fate that keeps them with their noses glued to ledgers, adding up stolid rows of refractory figures, when they might be thrilling multitudes as Hamlet or Romeo. These unfortunate young men believe—and believe truly—that I am awfully sympathetic, for they write me regularly. What shall they do? A divine spark is eating 'em up slowly, yet they have to rise at 6 a. m., go downtown on a crowded "sub," and do horrible office work all day long.

They want to be actors, but they don't know how to begin. They clamor for experience, but how shall they get it? Oh, they are willing to start from the very beginning, yet the lowest rung of the ladder is beyond their ken. One youth varied this plaint. He wanted to be a dramatic critic. "I have tried various callings, and have failed in everything," he wrote, "therefore I think I ought to make a very good dramatic critic." Bashful youth!

However, good and unselfish though I am (or is it "be"?), I can't be expected to help ambitious young men to my job. The law of self-preservation prevents that. I intend merely to indicate to would-be actors a way in which they may obtain experience. It is an infallible way, though a bit drastic. It may kill a few; it may unseat the reason of a few more; it may cripple the joyous outlook of yet another few. Yet those who survive will obtain priceless experience.

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Have you ever noticed—of course you have!—a body of men sitting just in front of the footlights, hampered with things known as "musical instruments"? One has a violin, another a 'cello, a third a flute, a fourth a drum etc. They make a noise before the performance, between the acts of the performance, and after the performance. They call themselves the "orchestra." According to Funk & Wagnalls "The name is given especially to a large band of trained musicians, capable of rendering the highest class of orchestral music." ("Capable of" covers a multitude of sins.)

This body of men, entirely surrounded by ten-la-la, sits night after night through theatrical performances. This body of men gets to know many pieces by heart and pieces that are not master. Night after night they watch such stars as Sothern and Marlott dashing with Shakespeare and other classics, and if Art be a germ (and why shouldn't it be?) they are bound to inhale it.

Now, all that these men have to do is to sit there and play chestnuts. It is usually the overture to "Raymond" or "Si Jenis Rad." Sometimes in a burst of originality, it is "Zampa," and in reckless moments I have actually known these brave chaps to offer a "Selection from 'Faust'" Noble hearts!

My suggestion to young men anxious to get "experience" is to seek an engagement in a theatrical orchestra, and to sit night after night watching actors and actresses courting the elusive thing known as reputation. Some of these young men may instantly exclaim that, as they can't play any instrument, they couldn't get this engagement. That is no objection. If they could play, they assuredly would never be engaged. Besides, it is of no consequence. Who really wants to hear a "selection from 'Faust'"?

Now to back up my suggestion with points made by one who has "researched" the subject. Awful though it may seem to sit every night through what may be a "long run" of a beautifully painful play, the thing is quite possible. It seems that the well-known English actor, J. B. Buckstone (father of our Roland), had an abiding faith in the critical acumen of his orchestra. He always asked their opinion, whenever he introduced new business. It was invariably with their sanction that at the last rehearsal, if the orchestra was satisfied, Mr. Buckstone knew that he had a success—and vice versa.

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A famous English actor, Emery by name, was originally a violin player at the Brighton Theatre. Benjamin Webster, unable to secure an engagement through lack of experience, besought the leader of an orchestra at $5 a week; and there are other instances. For those I have noted I am indebted to Mr Leopold Wagner's instructive little book.

Of course it is a terrible measure to advocate. How any orchestra player can sit through brilliant musical comedy for one hundred nights, with matinees thrown in—without sobbing for Bloomingdale, goodness only knows. Yet what man has done, man may do. We learned that in our copy-book days. I couldn't do it myself, and then I don't want to be an actor. If I did I might possibly fortify myself in some way, and gain the necessary experience. Sometimes after the first performances of a play that is doomed to an early death I look at those orchestra gentlemen, and as I leave the theatre say to myself, "You poor, erring chaps! Perhaps in another and a better world you may get your just deserts."

Yet, seriously, what better experience can a stage aspirant ask for? Even at the bad performances, he may at least learn how not to be bad; while at the good ones he gets the very best advice that could possibly be offered.

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Then, again, there is the position of usher, also extremely desirable. Of course ushers have to work hard for their money. In addition to commanding you to stand up and let a full dress person in her seat they are expected to applaud perilously at the close of each act. Says my experience of ushers, that they are extremely well bred, polite and to a degree young men. Some of them go to college all day or to schools of art, and they are mostly educated. They probably know a bad play when they see one (though the manager doesn't), and yet they have to applaud. They must outrace their feelings by simulating approval and "getting up the curtain" a prescribed number of times.

It is easier for the orchestra gentlemen, and that is why I believe the stage aspirant to be a "musician rather than an usher. An usher has to work; a musician doesn't, as a rule. Sometimes when there is a long wait the musician may have to get busy. On that occasion he plays his jig or whatever it may be over and over again, until you loathe him and the jig, and wish you were dead, or that the curtain would hurry up.

Let the would be Romeo sit among these gay musicians and watch the stage. It may even give him of his vault-ing ambition. At the end of the fiftieth performance he may find out and cry for a hod. It may help to see the stage from his pew, appalled by the awful fate in store for him. Of course, the man who is seriously in earnest will not be affrighted. So many aspirants are not seriously in earnest that I submit this test as a most valuable one. I often think that some of the orchestra players won't be admirable understudies for their chief have acquired both the best and the worst of all qualities belonging to the actors whom they see. If they could never be great actors, they could at least be good ones.

I'd sooner acquire experience as a member of an orchestra than go to a school of acting and mix with a lot of people who know less than I do. Of course, the latter method is more luxurious; also more expensive, also less certain. The orchestra stage has heavy penalties. It might lead to suicide, or to madness. Yet when one feels a "divine spark" in one's personality one does not think of extreme cases.

You may assert that, while this advice is possibly very good for men, what about the women? Just as many women yearn for the stage. They could never become members of an orchestra, except on a roof garden, or in a flowery music hall, or at Coney Island. At Coney Island they could never dream to become proficient as actresses, though they might, in time, learn how to eat Frankfurt sausages.

Both the role of orchestra musician and that of usher are shut out from poor, ill-treated lady. In London all the ushers are usherines, but in this country, while a woman may be a doctor, a lawyer, a newspaper man, she is by never be an usher, a bartender. Of course it is dreadfully hard on women, and I often wonder why enthusiast like Lydia Pinkham and others don't start protest.

However, there is compensation. If you've ever looked into a theatre in the daytime, during rehearsal, perhaps as the humble position I have just mentioned, you will have noticed certain gentle, lovable though. It is not romantic, but it is quite excellent. It women sweeping the carpets and dusting the woodwork gets them into the "atmosphere." As they flick dust

"Gentle, lovable women sweeping the carpets are able to watch all the rehearsals."

"Ushers have to work hard for their money."

work and attending to the curtains. These women they listen to Shakespeare, or others. They wear a are able to watch all the rehearsals and see the great dusting cap, which may in the years to come give place actors both on and off their guard. They may note a to the laurel crown. If they love the stage, and, O, star drilling his "support." They may study a lead- they do—they will be willing to start humbly. If they ing lady instructing the call-boy man how to throw rebel at this, it is a good sign that they are not in earthe light at—I mean an—her nest. Moreover, they can always in later years, when

My opinion is that—shall I call her the scrub lady?—is a very fine critic—a critic of experience. If managers only condescended to ask her views occasionally, many failures would never see the night or day. She knows, poor woman! As she removes the wad of chewing gum that the sweet little matinee girl has cunningly placed on the seat of the orchestra chair she watches the rehearsal of the new play proceeding. Several plays that have run for three or four inglorious nights could never have been spared that unhappy fate if the producer had just taken this industrious woman into his confidence, instead of waiting for professional critics. Why, professional critics could be swept from the face of the earth if managers would only listen to their own menials. It would be much better than "boring" the poor critic.

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I would suggest that simple girls, asking stage experience, should become ushers. Then they would be able to watch all the rehearsals, and see the great actors both on and off their guard. They may note a few stage tricks, which may be useful to them when they become stars themselves. Besides, they can always be getting a rest.

Without experience, an actor is comparatively useless. You take an inexperienced cook—well, because you have to, as there are no others—but with an actor it is different. He must know the ropes. Even if he possess genius, why good is it without a knowledge of technique—how to get on the stage, and how to get off (particularly how to get off, and how to stay off)? Silly boys and girls, astonished to find that managers won't engage them, jump to the conclusion that the profession is overcrowded; that there is no opportunity, and that they are "misunderstood."

Not a bit of it. There is always room for the experienced, anywhere, and if those lines have always been experience may be obtained, I shall be delighted. Let Romeo sit among the "musicians" (if he has nerve enough), so I let Juliet get a broom and wield it.

PERSONALITY'S THE THING With the Famous Stars NOT the ACTING Says Minnie Seligman

New Star of Empire Stock Co. Gives Secret of Fame.

BY ERNEST L. WAITT.

IT was a vision in pink that opened the door of the dressing room.

Like a ray of bright sunlight coming from a rift in the clouds on a stormy day, Minnie Seligman appeared as she stood in the doorway, the light in her room bringing her out in bold relief against the almost pitchy blackness of the darkened stage.

A vision in pink she was in reality.

Clad in a pink dressing gown, which she endeavored with becoming modesty to confine to her throat, her cheeks as clear as rose as a peach (and it wasn't artificial either, for she had just been "washing up"), her brown hair adorned by the flowers which she wore in the concluding act of "The Way of the World" and her blue eyes sparkling with that life and pleasure which comes from perfect health and the enjoyment of life, Miss Seligman made a most attractive picture.

It was her first day as a member of the Empire Theatre stock company. She had been warmly greeted by her new audience and was pleased at the reception. They had become her friends.

We talked of life in a stock company. She expressed some new ideas as to the reason why today there are no great actors like Booth and Forrest and Kean.

"Most of the stars of today have won their successes not through their great work as actors, but through their charming personality," she declared.

"The great managers when they cast a play today—I am told it is particularly Mr. Frohman's custom—select an actor or an actress whose personality suits the part for which he or she is engaged. Consequently the actor dresses his part, speaks the lines the author has written, but plays—himself.

No Great Actors Today.

"This is not acting. This is merely an agreeable personality dressed up to suit the period of the play and speaking the author's lines.

"I think it is for this reason that we have no great actors today.

"There are greater actors today among the stock companies than among the recognized stars.

"In the stock system the young actor is called upon to play a comedy servant one week perhaps an old character next week and a light comedy the following week and so on. In this way his talent is given full scope, he not only having to think out and portray quite another character than he is himself, but he has to make a mental picture of many characters and portray them.

"In other words, they have to create a new part each week—they have to be really actors, instead of playing themselves for season after season," I suggested,

"Yes, that is just it. I do not think sufficient credit is given the stock actor, for the reason that when a great play is first produced Miss So-And-So receives fine praise as the creator of the character. But every time a stock actor is called upon to play a part that has been played by someone else he or she creates that part. Ninety-nine times out of a hundred he has not seen the play performed and must necessarily create from his point of view the character accorded him."

"And he doesn't have the author to help him," I interposed.

Stock Actor Is a Slave.

"No. He has even less help than one in a production who has the advantage of a great stage manager, also the author, from four to six weeks to think out the characterization and the benefit of many rehearsals.

"The stock actor is thrown absolutely and completely on his own resources, and I consider their performances simply marvelous. I would like to know how many of the present day stars could do the work of a stock actor for any length of time.

"Their life is one of slavery to art, but there is theatrical training for young aspirants for histrionic honors better than the stock company.

"The old Boston Museum company was the ideal stock. I am not in favor of two performances a day. I think three matinees a week are as much as actors can give and do justice either to themselves or to the author.

"When one is called upon to rehearse from 10 until 12 and then hustle with costumes to play a matinee which lasts until 5, and then back again to the theatre for the evening performance, beginning at 8 and lasting until 11, what time has one to give to the study of the characters one portrays?

Stars Become Mechanical.

"The small members of the company have all they can do, if they play regularly one week after the other, to memorize their parts, to give their proper cues, etc.

"When I say that it is great training for the young aspirant, I mean by that the new custom of producing a play and, if it is making a hit, playing it for three or four seasons, the same people playing the same part season after season, causes them to become mechanical, to lose their ambition, and their ideals, if they have any, becomes stunted and stagnant."

"Don't you think that some of the present day stock actors will become the great stars of the future?" I asked.

"I certainly do think so, for I believe that in time the present method of selecting stars because of their personality alone will be changed. Then the great stock actors will find their opportunity.

"Take little Frances Starr, for instance. She is a development of the stock company training. She will be a great star some day. I could name half a hundred others, many of whom have played in your stock companies here in Boston, like Marion Chapman, Marion Bailey, poor Ned Fowler, if he had lived—oh, hosts of others. You just wait and see!

During all this time Martha, Miss Seligman's cute little spaniel had been resting in my lap.

"She was born in Boston on Washington's Birthday, so I call her Martha," said Miss Seligman.

"Have you any other pets"

"My horse and my automobile," she replied. "Every minute I get I am riding one or the other. My time is arranged just like clockwork. I rise each day at 8 o'clock and am in my dressing room at 10 sharp."

Minnie Seligman, Leading Woman of the New Empire Theatre Stock Company.

Our Jingling Contributor. By James J. Montague

Old Man Shadow.

Old Man Shadow is coming this way,
Out of the twilight sky;
Coming to frighten the waning day,
When the sun has east goodby.

Over the hills you can see him creep—
He wraps a mist 'round the shivering sheep,
And all little boys should go off to sleep
When Old Man Shadow is nigh.

Old Man Shadow has waked the owls
That live in the locust tree;
The watch dog sees him and sadly howls,
While the moon looks down to see.

Over the meadows, with silent tread,
He comes when the pallid day has fled.
And a cozy and safe little trundle bed
Is the place for a boy to be.

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"There is still another, we understand," we said, without looking up.

"Yes. He's notice of this."

We took notice of:

The Grafters' Marching Club.

Ta-de-rum-tum-tum,
Ta-de-rum-tum-tum,
Ta-de-r-r-r

THE CRIMES OF NEW ENGLAND RAILROADS

Flagrant Violations of Law for Benefit of Trusts Cited by Professor Parsons.

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BOTH common and statute law [illegible] to provide reasonable and sufficient facilities. They have no right to grant monopolies or special privileges or unequal preferences, but are bound to treat all fairly and impartially.

(See New England Exp. Co. v. Main Central R. R. 67 Me. 188, Pittsburg R. R. v. Gaze, 12 Gray (Mass.) 467, Kenny v. Grand Trunk R. R. 67 N. Y. 618.)

That is the rule of justice which represents the crystallized conscience and practical consensus of civilized people.

The Interstate Commerce Act was enforced by Congress in [illegible] statutes be a notable declaration of the National Legislature forbidding carriers to give any undue or unreasonable preference or advantage to any person, locality, or description of traffic in any respect whatever, or to subject any person, locality or description of traffic to any undue or unreasonable disadvantage in any respect whatsoever."

And the law made any breach of this provision a criminal offense punishable by heavy fine and imprisonment.

Yet from day to day and year to year in this country down to the present time the railroads have defied the law by denying the small man equal opportunity with the rich and influential, thereby breaking the connection between merit and success, bringing confused and arbitrary favoritism into the business and destroying the possibility of fair prevision by the mass of shippers, building up giant monopolies and gathering the wealth of the many into the coffers of the few.

In spite of law and justice our railroad practice is a tissue of unfair discrimination. In spite of the whole legislative, executive and judicial power of the Government, the rule of the common law and the interstate act is not obeyed. On the contrary, disregard of it is chronic and contagious and constitutes one of the leading characteristics of our railway system.

Vast Outlaw Horde.

The railway unjustly favor persons, places, and commodities, and they do it constantly, systematically, habitually.

If every instance of unjust discrimination that occurs to-day were embodied in human form and the process were continued for a year, the outlaw host would dwarf the Moslem hordes that deluged southern Europe in the days of Charles Martel, outnumber many fold the Grand Army of the Republic in its palmiest days, and, shoulder to shoulder, the dark and dangerous mob would reach across the continent, across the ocean, over Europe and Asia, and around the world.

In this dark procession New England railroads would have a vigorous part. Before me as I write there is a pile of decisions and documents relating to New England violations of the anti-discrimination law, a complete account of which would fill many pages of this journal. Only a few of the most convincing facts can be referred to.

Let me place first at the [illegible] case in which the United States Supreme Court has recently (Feb. 19, 1906) sustained the Interstate Commission's decision that the Chesapeake and Ohio and the New York Central and Hartford Railroads were breaking the interstate law by delivering sugar in New England at a price which failed to cover the cost of the [illegible] mines and the published freight rates, which other shippers had to pay. ago the railroad people agreed to deliver at New Haven [illegible] at an aggregate cost [illegible] lowed 28 cents a ton [illegible] rate in place of the published rate of $1.45 per ton. This had the effect as a rebate of $1.17 a ton, undue preference and [illegible] market, and was also [illegible] the system of rates [illegible] against departure from [illegible] rates.

The Interstate Commerce [illegible] suit against the Chesapeake and Ohio and the New York Central & Hartford to enjoin the [illegible]

The railroads claimed that [illegible] they had a right to [illegible] price they chose. But the [illegible] States Supreme Court decided the [illegible] of this contention, holding that a carrier cannot deal in the [illegible] carrier in such a [illegible] provisions of the Interstate Commerce Act, and therefore [illegible] buy and sell and [illegible] other carriers of similar goods who are [illegible] on the railroad for the transportation of their goods to market. [illegible] ence of such a power would enable a carrier, if it chose to do so, to give the favored persons from whom it would buy and the favored persons to whom he would sell, thus giving such persons an advantage over every other, and leading to a monopolization in the hands of such persons of all the products in which the carrier chose to deal."

Oil Rates at Favorite.

Coal rates are not the only ones in reference to which our railroads are guilty of collusion with shippers or with other roads to evade or defy the interstate law. The Oil Trust has a still stronger hold than the Coal Trust. Oil is a special favorite; not all oil, but kerosene oil. Oil that is made from a pig, or from flaxseed, or cottonseed, or extracted from a tree, takes the ordinary joint rate that is enjoyed by nearly all commodities from the West to New England points, but in the case of petroleum an exception is made in order to give the oil combine a practical monopoly.

The independent refiners of Cleveland, Ohio, who would compete with the Standard Oil if they could, are practically shut out of the greater part of New England by discrimination in classification and freight rates. [illegible] rate does the oil people make [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

BOSTON SUNDAY AMERICAN
BOSTON'S OWN FUNNY SUPPLEMENT

BUCOLIC WISDOM.

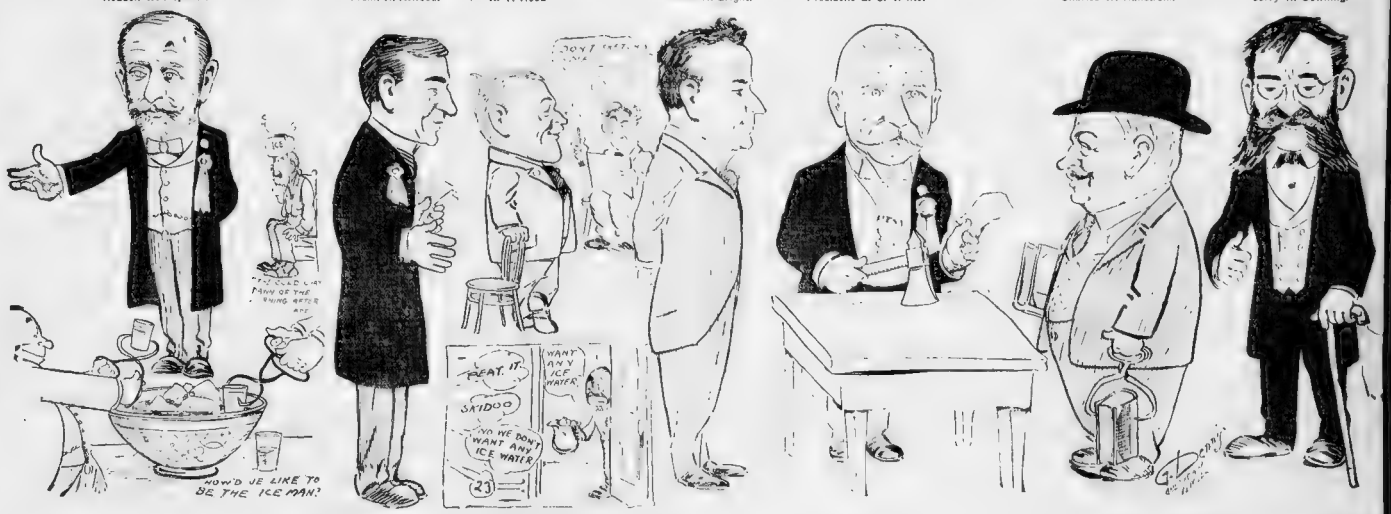
They've settled it this year again—
The Solons on the Hill—
That it is wise to leave in force
The Semicolon Bill;
The country members cast their votes
(Their minds the future saw)
And then liked for their homes—in town
That DON'T enforce the law.

A SONG OF SPRING.

The balmy Spring has come once more,
All nature now rejoices,
(Although most folks have colds, in fact,
With hoarse and husky voices.)
This is the season when you quote
About the [illegible]
[illegible]

"How'd You Like to Be the Ice Man?" He Gets the Goods, Says Regan

Reuben W. Hopkins. Frank H. Atwood. R. T. Hood Elmer H. Bright. President L. S. White. Charles W. Hallstrom. Jerry R. Downing.



"'We are here wit'out anny riference t' th' price iv ice. Th' price isn't goin' up, an' if it does it won't go far, an' th' public will be pleased, an' it's a short crop annyway, an' everybody's sorry but us. We are merry, tra la la la,' says he."

BY J. FRANK DAVIS

"ANDREW CARNAGHIE says th't millionaires don't laugh," said Hanrahan, after he and Mr. Regan had drank the first one in a hurry and were preparing to take more time with the second.

"He does," said Mr. Regan, "an' he ought may be right, if all that you an' me know. But there's thim that's on th' road t' riches th't does. Did ye hear about th' licenses?"

"Is it a new joke?" asked Hanrahan.

"It is not. It's a mighty old wan," said Mr. Regan. "They had a conference last Thursday, th' thing th't sells th' ice in Massachusetts, wit' a sufficient sprinklin' iv men fr'm Noo Hampshire t' give th' gutterin' nightly, an' they was a laugh fr' every inch iv it, as th' dirrumatic critic says.

A Joke Sure Enough

"'Twas not an assemblage fr' a serrious purpose. Th' invitations was got out humorously, th' punch was shrunk an' merry quips an' jests, an' th' pot-[illegible] an' even th' spittoons [illegible] all be way of a joke ahin thim [illegible] hus t' fin it' bills.

"Th' gutherin' assimbled at th' hour iv tin in th' mornin', an' continued intil late in th' afthernoon. It were a hot time, so hot that Dinny Mara, a thrustful [illegible] mellin' in all th' visible supply iv ice shrinkage—somebody not among thim be present. Most iv thim wor fat an' all [illegible] At wan fifteen in [illegible] committee [illegible] an' [illegible] pered th' members away fr'm th' punch bowl long enough t' begin th' formal exercises.

"President White called th' bunch t' gathering. Th' publication as an exercise could laugh. Graspin' th' gavel in his right hand, he [illegible] ice pick ready in his left hand, he [illegible] banged on th' table an' began his annual address. 'We are here solely fr' [illegible] th' [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

Busiest Week of the Entire Season Opens with New Attractions at Nearly Every Playhouse.
LILLIAN MCDONALD PALACE.
CONSTANCE WINDSOR LYCEUM
MARY HANNEWING AND JAMES K. HACKETT AT THE TREMONT
EDDIE FOY AT THE MAJESTIC
PHYANFO
ANNIE RUSSELL AT THE PARK
HARRY BYRON AT KEITH'S
FAY TEMPLETON AND VICTOR MOORE AT THE COLONIAL
LEAH WINDLOW AT THE CASTLE SQUARE
LILLIAN DAVEY AT THE GRAND OPERA HOUSE
BESSIE MCCOMAS AND FRED R. WILLIS AT THE BOSTON
BEATRICE HOREHAND AT THE GLOBE
CORA WHITE AT THE COLUMBIA
MAY DURYEA AT THE HOWARD

"M'. what a busy week," exclaimed the theatrical devotee, as he looked over the list of new attractions scheduled for Boston playgoers' attention next week. His surprise was justifiable, for it is to be the busiest, biggest and best dramatic week of the entire season. Only one play holds over, the stage at every other theatre being taken up by a production, that at the Park being given to Annie Russell's new comedy, "Friend Hannah," which was given its premiere production only last evening.

"Mrs. Wiggs" is the only attraction which continues. She is at the Boston Theatre for one more week. Fay Templeton brings George M. Cohen's great success "45 Minutes From Broadway," to the Colonial, Eddie Foy comes with "The Earl and the Girl" to the Majestic, its formal opening having been given there on Wednesday; "Mrs. Leffingwell's Boots" comes to the Hollis to take the place of Ethel Barrymore's comedy, because of her illness. Two extremely popular stars, James K. Hackett and Mary Mannering come to the Tremont in "The Walls of Jericho."

To the Globe comes Edmund Day's newest piece, "Behind the Mask;" to the Grand Opera House comes Blaney's "Across the Pacific;" the Castle Square company appears in "The Three Musketeers;" the Empire company in "The Dancing Girl," and the Bowdoin Square company in "Lost to the World." All the vaudeville and burlesque houses present new bills. Houdini remains for just one more week at Keith's, and has something new to amaze his audiences with.

Colonial Theatre

Fay Templeton, in Klaw & Erlanger's production of George M. Cohen's new and successful farce, "45 Minutes from Broadway," will open at the Colonial Theatre to-morrow evening. "45 Minutes from Broadway" is a novelty. It is made up of comedy, drama, musical and vocal comedy, and ability interwoven into a most interesting story. Miss Templeton plays the role of Cecil Burns, a servant. The opposite character, that of Sid Burns, a young man who has retired from the prize ring and who expresses most practical philosophy in pugilistic slang, is acted by Victor Moore. In several of the situations Miss Templeton is called on to display ability as a vocalist.

"45 Minutes from Broadway" confains but five musical numbers. Two of these are songs rendered by Miss Templeton, called "Mary Jane's Grand Old Name" and "My Lone Mary." There are twenty-one speaking parts and many auxiliary characters. The chorus consists of but eight girls who make up in the quality of their work for the lack in numbers. The following is the cast: Victor Moore, Lulu Glaser, Hal Hagen, Marion Singer, Donald Brian, Charles Prince, James H. Blaney, Lewis R. Grist, Maurice Elliott, Floyd Francis and Nat. Royster.

Tremont Theatre

James K. Hackett and Mary Mannering, in one of the most widely discussed plays of a decade, will come to the Tremont Theatre to-morrow night for a two weeks' engagement. Their play, "The Walls of Jericho," which will be seen for the first time in this city, is by Alfred Sutro, one of the most interesting figures in the world of letters in London.

"The Walls of Jericho" is in four acts and is a modern play. In fact it would be one to think that the theme is original whereas it is only modern. The drama shows how Jack Prudsher misses an enormous fortune in Australia and returns to England. He marries Alethea, daughter of the Marquess of Ayr, and is held in the smart set, who plays at holding aspects her child and carries on a secret love affair. A friend of Prudsher's is introduced into Jack's home where an admirer of Italy sketches and has lessons in art. Prudsher is unable to read a letter he has written to Alethea and after entering him out announces that he will sell the property and return to Queensland. Lady Alethea, who really loves her husband, refuses to give up with her child they return to Australia.

The supporting company includes Otis Delanbaugh, Gertrude Theos, Miss Harvey, Blanche Eller, Ruth Chester, W. J. Ferguson, Perry Lyndall, David Glass, Gerd and Owen Coffin. Wednesday and Saturday matinees will be given.

Park Theatre

Annie Russell is to be seen at the Park Theatre for a two weeks' engagement commencing Monday in a new comedy by Paul Kester, entitled "Friend Hannah." The play is of a romantic type with an historic background. It will be played by Miss Russell during that of sweet and wilsome lass throughout the entire drama, as well as upon the stage. Miss Russell's support is said to be unusually strong, and in that city are to be found many of the most artistic minds and most romantic personality which now [illegible] Richard Mansfield's play, "Beau Brocade," is the next vogue it enjoyed in the metropolis.

Miss Russell's framework of players has been selected with care. The principals are Orlando Daly, Ida Vernon, Ida Waterman, Robert Woodward, Albert [illegible] Thomas Coffee. A lavish production, too, will add to the beauty of the ensemble effect.

Majestic Theatre

At the Majestic Theatre yesterday afternoon "The Earl and the Girl" opened an engagement limited to three weeks. Chief among the newcomers is Eddie Foy, who essays the role of Jim Cheese, the itinerant ding trainer, who consents to become the Earl of Stole for a single night. Into the part he has injected much of that droll humor which has made him so popular. Amelia Summerville, Neils Mosby, Lloyd Morris, Tempest Kaye, Bernard Daly, Miss Niels Moore and a chorus of handsome girls, artistically gowned, are included in the company supporting Mr. Foy. "The Earl and the Girl" will be in effect at the Majestic Theatre on Patriots' Day, April 19, and seats may now be obtained for both the matinee and evening performances.

Hollis Street Theatre

"Mrs. Leffingwell's Boots" will be back in Boston to-morrow evening at the Hollis Street Theatre. On the occasion of the first presentation here no play was so much talked about. The merry complications arising from the confusion of the right boots on the wrong feet escape, the [illegible] and the charming accidents in the witching Parisian quarter, all combine to form out of one funny farce a most thoroughly delightful comedy. It has been upon the comedy stage that the honored and one other successful elements of this work by Augustus Thomas unite in one of the delights of the year.

It will stay here only a single week. Some of the original players who were absent on the first visit are now back in the cast. William Sherry, as Henry Harmon, Frank Burbeck, as Louis Payne, Jay Wilson, Del De Louis, Jane Laurel, Ollie Wilbur, Mrs. Anne Adams, the mother of Maude Adams, Theodore Maxwell and Jessie Busley now comprise the company.

Boston Theatre

"Mrs. Wiggs of the Cabbage Patch" when set up as a theatrical attraction is an undoubted magnet. The special attraction which it is now, with its delightful and thoroughly wholesome pictures of life among the lowly, at the Boston Theatre has resulted in an overflowing patronage nightly since the piece was formally opened its farewell week. As an entertainer Mrs. Wiggs is to be ever in favor. Of all women she is the dearest and the funniest, the ideal philosopher and friend, as well as a broad beam of sunshine amid lowly surroundings and a benediction among all her associates.

Alice Carter, as Miss Stubbins, gives a realistic portrayal of a character really a distinct and original. Bessie Barriscale is a sweet and genuinely endearing Lovey Mary, and Helen Lowell, as Miss Hedges, is a delight.

Keiths Theatre

A regrettable announcement from Keith's is that of the termination of the remarkably successful engagement of Harry Houdini next week, the handcuff king and mystifier whose track for the physicians has been one of respect and admiration, and whose unqualified success in the art he has practiced has been unprecedented. He has promised to make it a part of his every performance during the week to do as well as possible the tricks of the rope tying challenge programme. Includes several foreign novelties, the latest being Ching Ling Foo, the Chinese magician, who is said to be a most clever performer. Another feature is the return of Harry Gilfoil, a favorite comedy star, late of "The Pearl and the Pumpkin," with his famous character impersonation of Bernhardt. Sousa's Band, Empress Theresa Cannaras, European novelty band and hand in society; the Nolani Trio, Italian street singers and musicians; Frank Byron and Louise Langdon, in a comedy and singing specialty, the Three Mitchells, "real coon" comedians, singers and dancers; Ferguson and Watson, talking comedians, and Lily Seville, English character comedienne. An entire new list of comedy and motion pictures will be in the kinetograph.

Globe Theatre

Edmund Day's new play, "Behind the Mask," which opens at the Globe for one week beginning with a matinee to-morrow, is beautifully staged, is both a drama involving some of the most famous scenery in Colorado. "Behind the Mask," is essentially a great Western drama. The central figures are social highwaymen. The lead here is head of a crime syndicate of robbers of all kinds, bewitching as he can be, to get the money. Train robbery and train wrecking, fencing the moonlight ride of the great Georgetown Loop of the Colorado Midland, [illegible] ingenious mechanical effects Sidney Johns, George C. Robinson, Harry's Morris and Hilda Laurent are featured with the strong cast.

Castle Square Theatre

There will be much that is new in the production of "The Three Musketeers" at the Castle Square this week. This famous play by Dumas, one of the most popular romances ever given on the American stage, has been rewritten and reconstructed by Edmund Day, and has been secured for only one week. It will retain all the good qualities of the old version, with the addition of new scenes and new episodes given the title part, in working out the part an intense interest is created by the character of Valentine Dancourt, a modern Englishman who is in the degenerate action of a noble family, who represents the decadence resulting from generations of wealth, idleness and luxury.

The characters will be assigned as follows: Valentine Dancourt, William Brunwell; John Christmas, Frederic Sumner; Isaiah Ives, Harold Hartsell; Crake, John Harrington; Reginald Singsby, Sumner Nash; Goldsack, Jefferson Hall; Captain Lodes, Alonzo Price; Stephen Granet, Walter Russell; Augustus Cheevers, Lewis Owan; Lady Bawtry, Isabel D'Amdigan; Sarah Crake, Florida Fancher; Mrs. Granet, Bertha Kent-Lodi; Faith Ives, Lillian Bayer; Drusilla Ives, Diana Belgman.

Grand Opera House

Commencing to-morrow night, the great selling military play, "Across the Pacific," comes to the Grand Opera House for one week. It is here all scene and excitement, for there is a beautiful heart story of love and patriotism, and enough good, clean comedy to satisfy all. Scenes showing the soldier's home, the Chinese opium den, the transport City of Pekin, General Lawton's headquarters in the Philippines and Block House No. 7 will be displayed.

Specialties are introduced by Miss Ella Dayton, soubrette; Johnny Hoey, "Chinese" Johnnie Williams, Harry Fisher and Blaney's Rough Rider band. Matinees will be given on Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday.

Columbia Theatre

The Star Show Girls, this week's attraction at the Columbia, is said to be away ahead of anything seen this season. The girls of the chorus would pass, so the genial press representative declares, for a crowd of High School misses anywhere, so young, vivacious and intelligent are they, and so far out of the ordinary in looks and deportment, that they have been nicknamed "The Debutantes" all along the line.

In the olio, the big feature will be the concert brought by the Tuscan trio, entitled "Hoo Flung It?" Others will be Tom Brooks, Lambert and company; Nelson and White, Carney and Wagoner, Dotta and Benton, and Ivy and Yeoell, comedy acrobats. The Nelson McGovern fight will be reproduced in the moving picture machine as an added feature.

Austin & Stone's Museum

The usual series of unusual features, oddities and prodigies will make up the attractions at Austin & Stone's this week with the addition of a new vaudeville performance.

Bowdoin Square Theatre

"Lost to the World," a play of heart interest, will be the drawing card at the Bowdoin Square Theatre this week, with the full cast of the Castle Square stock company.

Howard Athenaeum

George B. Alexander again heads the burlesquers at the Howard this week, and the vaudeville bill includes a strong list of headliners. [illegible] notice

Palace Theatre

Blue Ribbon Girls will be the attraction at the Palace Theatre this week. There are two funny burlesques entitled "Caught with the Goods" and "The Laundry Girls' Vacation at the Ski Hi Hi Park," which are full of the lively [illegible] The comedians are versatile with [illegible] girls are said to be not only handsome, but clever. The olio will present the Leslie Hussars, a dashing young soldier [illegible] which has created a sensation wherever it has appeared. It will be a big first week.

Others on the bill are the World's Trio, the Sidonios, Alexander and Irene, the Australian, Stella Gilmore, Emma Wood and Inez Alle. One of the features will be John Hyde, who is said to be the best ever given to the burlesque stage.

Lyceum Theatre

"The Devil's Island," new, bright, re-edited, revamped and brought right up to the present moment with new specialties, new music, new faces and new costumes, will be the offering at the Lyceum beginning [illegible] Among the principals are John [illegible] James Marcus, John Leiselman, Gus Mozart, George Hoffett, Ella Lesley, Grace Hazeltine Windom, Etta Harvey, Blanche Fisher, Ethel Hilton, the celebrated Cuneo and Orano original Watermelon [illegible] dancers.

"Yankee Circus on Mars"

Manager Lawrence McGarty literally "swept the board" and took every trick" when he played for and won the last and largest of the season's attractions for the Boston Theatre—"A Yankee Circus on Mars," which will occupy the boards for the big New England production Monday, April 16, with matinees every day. It is spectacle, extravaganza, musical comedy, ballet and the regulation features of the "tent show" and sawdust ring combined, and it comes to Boston with all the attributes and paraphernalia with which nabs for its success and extraordinary popularity at the New York Hippodrome.

Not satisfied to give to the people of Boston a production that at Chicago, at the Auditorium, was recognized as superior to any other ever seen in the Western metropolis, Thompson & Dundy have decided to introduce some of their more recent Hippodrome star features. Among these are Captain Woodward's educated bloodhounds, the renowned marksman and adagio, Europe's most famous [illegible] Elliot, with her twelve powerful and precious lions, will be one of the strong features of the circus entertainment. Louise Powell and Lillian Lorell are also featured for their wonderful [illegible] Lincoln, king of the bounding wire, Sisters Osborn, the Seven Walters, Mlle. Marquis and her ponies. One hundred and forty-five girls from La Scala, Milan, engage in "the dance of the hours."

Notable Benefits

Every regular patron of the Colonial Theatre will have a double interest in the performance to-morrow evening, for it is a complimentary testimonial to Thomas H. Lothian, business manager of the Colonial Theatre; George F. Mathews, treasurer, and A. E. Lothian, ticket agent. These three officials have hosts of warm personal friends among the patrons of the Colonial Theatre, and the audience on Monday evening will be marked by a cordiality and good spirit quite remarkable on account of the kind feelings entertained for them.

Manager W. A. Andrews of the Park Theatre is to be given a testimonial benefit on the opening night of the latest comedy, "Cousin Louise," April 23.

Colonial Matinee

Although the majority of the plays to be given at the second Colonial matinee are of the French school, one piece will take the players back to the days of the Saxon England. This is "The Wings," a one act drama by Josephine Preston Peabody, the young poet whose play "Marlowe" was given last season by Harvard University audiences. "The Wings" tells of a mystical story of the redemption of a woman's soul by its approach through but a moment of a man's lofty faith in the Infinite. The other plays to be presented at this matinee on Tuesday, April 17, will be "Les Romanesques d'Honore," "The Fantastickes," by Rostand, and "As We Forget," (Tout Ala Faire), by Coppee, all under the personal direction of Clayton D. Purdy.

Music Hall Zoo

Constant additions are made to the collection of rare birds and animals at the Music Hall Zoo and large crowds of people may be found in the auditorium throughout each day and evening. The great baboon which will occupy the cage of the big New England pachyderm Monday, April 16, with matinees every day. It is spectacle, extravaganza, musical comedy, ballet and the regulation features of the "tent show" and sawdust ring combined, and it comes to Boston with all the attributes and paraphernalia with which nabs for its success and extraordinary popularity at the New York Hippodrome.

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AUSTIN & STONE'S MUSEUM—Features and Vaudeville.
BOSTON—"Mrs. Wiggs of the Cabbage Patch."
BOWDOIN SQUARE—"Lost to the World."
CASTLE SQUARE—"The Three Musketeers."
COLONIAL — "Forty-five Minutes From Broadway."
COLUMBIA—Burlesquers.
EMPIRE—"The Dancing Girl."
GLOBE—"Behind the Mask."
GRAND OPERA HOUSE—"Across the Pacific."
HOLLIS STREET—"Mrs. Leffingwell's Boots."
HOWARD—Vaudeville.
KEITH'S—Vaudeville.
LYCEUM—"The Devil's Daughter."
MAJESTIC—"The Earl and the Girl."
PALACE—"The Blue Ribbon Girls."
PARK—"Friend Hannah."
TREMONT—"The Walls of Jericho."

Barrymore Hoodoo Ends Only Notable Production

BY J. FRANK DAVIS.

THE pathetic "Barrymore hoodoo" cut short, last week the only notable new theatrical production. A minor but extremely popular opening was that of the one ultra-successful show played entirely by colored people. The older big shows continued their progress successfully, several of them closing to make way for the big week of openings that begins to-morrow.

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Ethel Barrymore, who was to have played at the Hollis Street Theatre for two weeks, appeared for two nights before unusually fashionable and appreciative audiences, and was then forced to close the show, disband her company, darken the house and go to a hospital to be operated upon for appendicitis. She has scores of personal friends in Boston—of that same set which throws Back Bay and Brookline doors open to her famous uncle, John Drew—but it was the thousands in society's outer darkness those who know her just as a young and hard-working actress, whose sympaths for her was as great as the disappointment of most of them at being unable to see her in her newest play, Barrie's "Alice Sit-by-the-Fire."

We saw her for two nights in "Alice Sit-by-the-Fire." We heard the dialogue and saw the action of Barrie at his best and worst. We saw that he had builded less well than in "The Little Minister" and "The Professor's Love Story," but far, far better than in "Little Mary"—about, let us say in the prime with "The Admirable Crichton."

A year ago I wrote of Ethel Barrymore these words: "She is like her uncle. We see him in a score of plays; he is always John Drew. We see her in a dozen; she is Ethel Barrymore. Some years ago, when she was very, very young, we looked forward to the days when she would outgrow those painful mannerisms of voice and gesture and girlish brightness. Because she is still very young we may continue to look forward and hope." I reprint these words to-day because that hope is bearing promise of fruition. For the first time in her ten years of acting Miss Barrymore has given us a character part.

You would not have believed that this girl of twenty-six could play a woman of forty—and not only look the part but act it. Yet she did—and did it in a manner to carry conviction. In every place where the author's fantastic vein of thought gave her an opportunity she accepted it, and the whimsicalities of "Alice Sit-by-the-Fire" could not have been better brought out than by her. Also she had admirable support, her brother John playing cleverly, and Miss Beatrice Agnew doing wonders with one of the most difficult combinations of melodrama and comedy of any part I have ever seen. The rest of the company was fully equal to its requirements; these two are mentioned especially only because they stood out so strong.

We laughed and applauded—which really didn't mean much, because we have been laughing and applauding Miss Barrymore through all the years when she has been raising our hopes and disappointing them—but still the wee tear couldn't help feeling as we did when we saw Gillette in "Crichton" "Good That's all right. Now that you've proven you can do this thing of Barrie's, go and give us something pleasant and entertaining, won't you?"

A great many people didn't seem to know what it was all about The bald man in front of me, with gray checked clothes and a cloven breath who had set very quiet through the whole show, exclaimed at the close, with much bitterness, "That's the limit!" The lady on my left, who had divided her evening between laughing and applauding with great energy, confided to the little pink Englishman at his left—he had confessed between acts to an acquaintance with Captain Graham of the Coldstreams—that she thought it was just too silly for any-thing." Neither of them—and they represented the extremes of a wide range of environment—was right. It was really a very fine Barrie show—if you like Barrie.

It seems almost as if the superstition as to the "Barrymore hoodoo" must have some foundation in fact. And, if this keeps on, the family will stay away from Boston. Lionel Barrymore was seriously ill here last year, you remember.

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Williams and Walker were the best team of negro comedians on the vaudeville stage. They went to England, amassed fame and riches, and branched out as stars and managers. They gave us "In Dahomey." They made no secret of the fact that they were through. It is not quite so good. Hopes that have had the "standing room only" sign out and have been a blessing to ticket speculators have prevailed every night.

Every member of the company is colored. Most of them can sing. Some of them can dance. A few of them can act. And Williams and Walker are as good as ever. There is only this to say in criticism. Mixed with the African swing, the kind that sets your feet to tapping, whether "ragtime" or otherwise, is of itself well worth hearing. Negroes sing it better than all others. It is also bad that they endeavor to sing a grade of music higher, perhaps, but not in their hands so entertaining.

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It is remarkable, as it always has been, that so much interest can be maintained in so slight a story of such humble people as "Mrs. Wiggs of the Cabbage Patch." The answer is that Mrs. Hodge's story, untried that much-advertised but so seldom possessed quality, "human interest," to a superlative degree, and that Miss Paxner, in the dramatization, increased rather than lessened it. Mrs. Wiggs is a thoroughly delightful character. Long may she save

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It is always a pleasant thing to say something good about a deserving minor actor in an "all-star" company. In "The Heart of Maryland" there is a young man, Regan Hughston by name, who in every effort, unless I am mistaken, the results of careful training in some good stock company. It is very seldom indeed that you find a man who can so admirably "double" two such diverse parts as the youthful spy and the doddering old sexton. Besides that, he makes the best death fall that I have ever seen.

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Still the town is filled with talk of Houdini. Up to date he has tried to escape from about every kind of a bond, from a cheap pair of handcuffs to the Charles Street Jail, with invariable success, and no more unpleasant result than a loss of breath and some dishevelment of raiment. It would almost do to wager that he could get out of Wall Street with money, or of an engagement to take his wife's mother to dinner, without serious embarrassment.

BOSTON SOCIETY GIRLS ADOPT THE HABIT OF RIDING ASTRIDE

SMART SET SMILES ON KNICKERBOCKERS

BY A SOCIETY WOMAN.

"The girl who dares"—dares to defy the tyranny of custom by riding astride in the latest evolution of the riding habit, knickerbockers, has made her appearance in conservative Boston and she and her sisters in the equestrian art have set the seal of social approval upon this newest fashion from Paris, which is also being adopted in England.

The knickerbocker riding habit for cross-country riding has come to stay, and many society girls of Brookline and the Back Bay who are among the emancipated, may now be seen in this smartest of riding outfits, taking their early morning canter in the Fenway and along the Brookline bridle-paths, enjoying to the full their fine sense of freedom and security.

To the advanced methods taught in the Brookline Riding Academy is due the up-to-date style of cross-saddle riding now being so generally adopted, and which is hailed with delight by physicians and horse lovers.

Side Saddle Is Doomed

"Major Rudolph Clasen, proprietor of the school, who was riding master in the German Cavalry, and who first introduced cross saddle riding for women in this country has triumphed in relegating the unhealthy side saddle to the realms of ridiculous and out grown things," said a fashionable and pretty devotee of what physicians call this same style of riding."

Among the pretty and distinguished devotees of what is now THE fashionable method of riding are: Miss Sally Jones of West Newton, Miss Edith Gardiner of Brookline, Miss Mary Roberts of Brookline, Miss Dorothy Brooks of Brookline, Miss Ellen Lassen and Miss Henrietta Chase of Cambridge.

Many of the "400" at the Brookline Riding Academy do not realize that one of the skilful instructors, whose quiet and peculiarly impressive manner make the "wonder," is an Austrian Baron, and a teacher with few equals in the world.

Miss Ellen Lassen, who is a most ardent advocate of the new riding habit for women, and who even dispenses with the paddock coat, wearing simply a shirt waist when weather permits, says:

"The side saddle is hopelessly done for, and the only wonder is that women should have been so long bound by a custom that is unsafe and which restricts them so much in an exercise that is peculiarly adapted to their health. All women originally rode astride. The side saddle was introduced into England in 1341 by Anne of Bohemia, who, being lame, was unable to ride the natural mount.

Alice Roosevelt Set Fashion Here

"Before her time no such thing as a two pommel saddle was known, and just think of that violent custom survived almost six centuries. Isn't it time we made a declaration of Independence?"

The society for the prevention of cruelty to animals should do every thing in its power to put an end to the side saddle," said another of the "400," whose superb equestrianship makes her a delight to herself and others.

"You see," she explains," in this way the rider's weight is evenly distributed, and the horse's back is not galled by any slipping of the saddle."

When Alice Roosevelt rode astride through the Hub three years ago she did a great thing for women and horses, in overcoming the popular prejudice against divided skirts and bloomers," said another young woman in knickerbockers, whose military bearing and finished mount have caused her to be dubbed by her friends "Jean of Arc."

"400" Ready for Easter Joy.

Breaking the chrysalis of her foolish and unfashionable reserve in matters of dress, the Boston society woman, after long and strenuous resistance, at last emerges a full fledged butterfly.

The eternal and adorably feminine is asserting itself, and never before in the social history of the Hub has the milady adopted a more elaborate and ultra-moulish wardrobe for her Easter coming out than she is doing this season.

For the Horse Show, in which all social interest is centring—and which promises to be a veritable peacock parade—she is joyously preparing to blossom forth in a glory of color ranging from the sea coral reds and peacock blues to the softer and more seductive rainbow tints to be so much in vogue.

So numerous are the frequent fittings to Paris and New York have had many of the "400" of the Hub of Boston woman who fears the pain for dainttiness await from all her other sisters to be added to the church by becoming a wee bit Frenchy and frivolous.

The "frump" of a decade ago," say the students of style, "is a nightmare to be gladly forgotten. The Boston woman of today is a dream of exquisite dressiness."

The secret of the succession, they declare has wrought the psychological wonder. The long winter of the utilitie-fact established has given an educative factor, the shrine to which she comes, now and is conquered.

The last but most conspicuous at the Horse Show will be a smart—almost saucy, and a touch bewitching affair of Parisian model.

Among those preparing to appear in the most up-to-date and stunning creations at the show are Mrs. F. Lothrop Ames, Mrs. Francis J. Amory, Mrs. Phillip Sears, Mrs. R. C. Hooper, Mrs. Bryce Allan, who has the name of being the best-gowned woman in Boston society; Mrs. James Lowell Putnam, Mrs. George von L. Meyer, at present in Washington; Mrs. Oliver Ames, Mrs. Gordon Abbott, Mrs. Guy Lowell, Mrs. R. V. D. Thayer, Mrs. George Nickerson, Mrs. Hollis Hunnewell, Mrs. Gig Norman, who will come from Washington for the occasion and will be a guest of the Allens; Mrs. F. H. Sears, Jr., and Mrs. Tom Motley, Jr.

Smart Set Waits Vincent Club Show.

Helen Fay, the attractive treasurer of the Vincent Club, declares that she has no time for anything outside of depositing the money which has been veritably flowing in since the opening of the sale of seats for the theatricals of the club and attending the rehearsals. Three days after the opening of the sale every seat was sold for the matinee performances. The rehearsals are now being held in Jordan Hall and are progressing beautifully. Miss Mary Josephine Amory, who has just returned from her visit to Aiken; Miss Alice Thorndike, Miss Barbara Burr and Miss Alice Holt are the season's debutantes who will be seen in minor parts. Miss Elizabeth Porter will lead the orchestra for the dances and Miss Rosamond Lang for her own music.

The first dress rehearsal will take place Tuesday afternoon, April 24, and the first performance will be given on the following afternoon. The second matinee will be given the twenty-eighth and the evening performance on the twenty-seventh.

Miss Abigail Adams, who has so efficiently attended to the programme, returned Wednesday from Washington, where for the past two weeks she has been the guest of her uncle, Henry Adams. Miss Dorothy Forbes, who has been at Aiken for the past month, is returning next week, and will be head usher at the theatricals.

April's Dramatic Feast.

Lovers of the fine and unusual in the drama and dramatic literature are in a flutter of anticipation over the group of matinees to be given at the Colonial Theatre April 17 under the able direction of Mr. Clayton D. Gilbert of the New England Conservatory and the Emerson School of Oratory, when four plays of strong and unique appeal will be presented. The leading roles will be played by Mr. L. B. Anderson of the Castle and Criterion clubs, Mrs. Lena Rudd Powers of San Francisco, Cal., who is visiting in the city; Bernard Lamber, whose fine portrayal of the saint in "The Lost Saint," which was given at the Celtic matinees, won for him fresh laurels; Mr. Frank Beck, Miss Cornelia Hollingshead, Mr. Jerry O'Connell of the Boston University Law School, Miss Katherine Porter, Miss Marsha Backer and Theodore Koch at the Jefferson Dramatic Club.

One of the most promising of the plays and one in which society is particularly interested is "The Wings," a one act drama of early Saxon England, by Miss Josephine Preston Peabody, the young poet, whose engagement to Professor Lionel S. Marks of Harvard University was recently announced. Miss Peabody is the daughter of Mrs. Charles K. Peabody of Cambridge, and is as winsome as she is clever. The other plays to be given are "As We Forgive Them" and "The Grandmamma of Honore" and "The Fantaschke."

Study Italy at Guild Home.

An atmosphere of sunny Italy pervaded the cozy drawing room of the Curtis Guild home on Marlboro street Wednesday afternoon, when the Pro Cultura Italiana was received by Mrs. Guild, who, like the greater portion of Boston's socially elite, is becoming quite an enthusiast over the language and literature of the beautiful country. Marchesa Costarelli Du Gregorio presided at the afternoon tea, serving the fragile, and Mrs. Frederick Weyhouse poured.

Mrs. Guild, one of Boston's most charming hostesses, was regal in a black velvet princess trimmed with touches of white chiffon and jet. Mistress Costarelli always most becomingly gowned, was radiant in a beautiful creation of chantilly over white satin, with sparkling touches of jewels. Pink chiffon dress and a pink Parisian hat, Mrs. Winslow was charming in a gown of cream lace and hat to match.

Count Orlando Guild, president of the club, presided. A paper on Italian literature by Signor Franchischeni was thoroughly enjoyable, as were also the songs rendered by Marquisa Costarelli.

Mrs. Guild, who has spent a longer season in Boston than is her custom, is leaving town soon for a few weeks at Atlantic City.

Cambridge

University Lodge No. 62 of Odd Ladies will hold an Easter sale Monday and Tuesday next in Odd Fellows' Hall. Thousands of earnestness will be used in an elaborate decorative scheme. Mrs. Jennie M. Amos is general chairman and the sub-committee chairmen are Mrs. Myra W. Pike, Mrs. Nellie Bond, Mrs. Carrie W. Dodge, Mrs. Fannie M. Daniels, Mrs. Gertrude F. Hopkins, Mrs. Anna Brown, Mrs. Matilda Davis and Mrs. Isabelle C. Whipple.

Mrs. Alice M. Tanner of Chester street has the hostess of the Cambridge Club literature class Monday evening. Hugh Cleyne of Harlem" was entertained the Astronomy Club on Tuesday.

The engagement of Miss Anna Annable, Radcliffe, '06, to D. H. Tresidder of Seattle, Wash., is announced. Miss Annable received the degree of A. M. from Radcliffe in 1905. Mr. Tresidder, who is now practicing law in Seattle, received the degree of A. B. from Amherst in the class of '98.

Within a short time Mrs. William A. Bancroft and her little grandchild Mary, daughter of Colonel Hugh Bancroft, will sail for Limoges, France. There they will spend the September with Mrs. Bancroft's daughter, Mrs. Katherine Bancroft Hazeltine, whose marriage was one of the season. The society events just Spring

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Hubbard and Miss Gertrude Hubbard are touring Egypt and the Holy Land. They will return in May. Mr. and Mrs. Acrin C. Sorrell have returned from their Western tour, but the Misses Sorrell have prolonged their stay in the West and are now visiting friends in Chicago.

Mr and Mrs Seth Sears of Russell street have been entertaining the past week in Washington, D. C.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Cummings have returned from California

Mrs. Agnes McDonald, are to spend the next few weeks in Baltimore and Washington.

Mrs. William F. Edgell gave a delight ful musicale last week at her home on Lancaster street.

Milton

Miss Alice Brophy and Miss Annie Kelly have returned from Washington.

Mr. Walter Scott and family of Hoosten avenue have moved to Quincy.

Arthur Coffin of Gloucester has been the guest of his grandmother, Mrs. Brimmer of Cheever street.

Personals

Beautiful weather is sufficient inducement for the absentees of town houses and a return to [illegible] and [illegible] many of the [illegible] seeking their shade in the country home. Mrs. Hugh Pilley and her charming debutante daughter, Miss Nancy Pilley have closed their apartment on Commonwealth avenue and are at their country residence at Sherborn for the spring months. Mrs. Pilley and her daughter will be in town for the Horse Show and for the class festivities at Harvard in which they are exceptionally interested, owing to the fact that the only son of the house is captain of the Harvard crew.

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Mr. and Mrs. Julian de Cordova, who recently returned from an extended trip to the Pacific Coast, have given up their handsome apartment at Avenue apartment and are at their suburban home at Lincoln

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Departures for Europe are to be numerous on the wane, and Tuesday a outgoing Saxonia took a number of well known people, most of whom sailed with the intention of remaining abroad throughout the Summer. Mrs. John Forester Inches of Marlboro street, and her charming young daughter, Miss Nathia Inches, were among those, as was also Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Hudson, who will return late in May. Mrs. Charles Ellis Ware of Newton Centre and her daughter, Miss Hilda Foster; the Frederick Haraden, the Misses Mason and Henry Lowell Mason, Mrs. John Preston Sutherland and Miss Bertha Martin Fay.

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Mr. and Mrs. Thomas P. Beal are among those planning for shortly for a short sojourn in Europe. They will join Mr. Beal's sister, Miss Lucia and Miss Judith Beal, who spent the greater part of the Winter in Europe, and will return the last of June, going directly to their North Shore cottage.

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Mr and Mrs Robert Dawson Evans are to spend several weeks in Europe before going to their country residence, Bee Hall, Beverly. Mrs. George Olaf in Davis of Commonwealth avenue, is to be the guest of honor at a luncheon, Comfort, CT., will sail for Europe early in May and Mrs. Davis will join her mother, Mrs. Allen M. Sumner, who has been in Europe for the past several months. Mr. and Mrs. William Parker and their niece, Miss Anne Forster, will also go to Europe next month. On their return, late in the Summer, the Parkers will go to their estate at Cohasset. Mr and Mrs Charles Hamilton Paine of Pittsfield, whose home is another of Boston's well known society centres, are to spend the Summer abroad. Mrs. Lindsay is to sail the next week for June and will go direct to London for the season.

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Society grows more reckless each year and before the trip to Europe in the South, the country place and the shore house monopolize little time in which to entertain. Among those who have for some time been on the "wing" and are now at their country homes are Mr. Edward A. Peck and his attractive daughter, Marion Peck, who are being entertained throughout the South. Miss Adeline Hooper, who has been a frequent and most welcome guest of last fall, is expected to return shortly for the opening of the country home of Mr and Mrs. James H. Hooper on Beacon street. Miss Hooper is a popular member of the Vincent Club, and will return in time to take part in the opening performance. Miss Dorothy Forbes, who has been at Aiken for several weeks, and Miss Phillis Robbins are other of the young people who are expected in season for the show.

Miss Ida Agassiz, daughter of Mr and Mrs. Charles Sargent of Holmlea, Brookline, is entertaining a house party at Continent with friends the past season, and expects to return in May. Miss Katherine Fay, who is at present at Aiken, will also return early in April, when she and her mother, Mrs. William P. Fay, will open their country estate, "The Hundreds," at Wenham.

Miss Mary Adelaide Matthaei arrived, who during her second has been a favorite with the Feminists, will return in America in April. The Feminists will remain abroad indefinitely.

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Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Dexter (Miss Amory) have returned from their wedding tour and are at present at Mr. Dexter's beautiful estate, Brookwood, in Waltham, after the Horse Show, Mr. and Mrs. Dexter will go to Dexter's Crossing for the Summer.

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Mr and Mrs Arthur C. Lawrence of Commonwealth avenue, who have been entertaining Miss Wass at Atlantic City, and Mrs. Lawrence will return will open their cottage at Marblehead for the Summer. Mr. and Mrs. Ian Forbes-Leslie Thaxter will be among the earliest arrivals at West Manchester this season.

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Westfield

Westfield, April 7.—An "All Fool's Carnival" under the auspices of Eastern Star Rebekah lodges of Odd Fellows was held in Columbia Hall, Tuesday evening. Pelton's orchestra furnished music. Ben Chadwick prompted.

Future Events

Next week being Holy Week, little will be done in a social way, and the chief event to attract society especially the patriotic element—will be the birthday celebration of the Daughters of Massachusetts, Thursday, at the Brunswick Hotel. Mrs. Ellen A. Curtis Guild and Mr. and Mrs. Eben Sumner Draper will be guests of honor. Miss Guild and Mr. and Mrs. Draper will receive with the president, Mrs. Austin C. Wellington. Major General Otis H. Marion will be master of ceremonies, and the Sons of Veterans of Camp 14 will act as aides.

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Society and financially the performances of the original operetta, "The Ship of the Unsinful Islands," which is to be given by the young people of Lincoln House, at Jordan Hall, May 3 and 4, has already an assured success. The song and also illustrated by patronesses including such names as Mrs. John L. Gardiner, Mrs. Alice Andrus Rackliffe, Mrs. Reed Atkinson, Mrs. W. H. Asquinall, Mrs. W. A. Bigelow, Mrs. A. C. Hardon, Mrs. Preston Bigelow, Mrs. S. Parkin Blake, Miss H. T. Bolles, Mrs. Arthur Bowditch, Mrs. James Bowditch, Mrs. Edward D. Brandegee, Mrs. Arthur Brooks, Mrs. A. T. Brown, Mrs. Richard C. Brooks, Mrs. A. T. Brown, Mrs. Hich and C. Bowditch, Mrs. Arthur Carey, Mrs. Samuel Carr, Mrs. R. Preston Clark, Mrs. Ira Cleaves, Jr., Mrs. George G. Crocker, Mrs. S. E. Crosby, Mrs. Louis Curtis, Mrs. Jr., Mrs. Edward Cummings, Mrs. George B. Dexter, Mrs. R. W. Emerson, 2d., Miss Faulkner, Mrs. N. J. Fiske, Mrs. Charles Fox, Mrs. Mrs. Alice M. Forbes, Mrs. R. H. Gardiner, Mrs. John Gardiner, Mrs. F. W. Gibson, Mrs. Charles Hamlin, Mrs. H. L. Higginson, Mrs. Reed Higgins, Mrs. R. S. Hooper, Mrs. Osborne Howes, Mrs. C. S. Hoadley, Mrs. Pierre Jones, Mrs. H. P. Kidder, Mrs. Wm. Lawrence, Mrs. John Lambert, Miss Amy Lowell, Mrs. Guy Lowell, Mrs. George H. Lyman, Mrs. George A. Mandell, Miss Ella M. Mason, Mrs. F. E. Peabody, Mrs. F. G. Peabody, Mrs. C. E. Perkins, Mrs. Robert Peters, Mrs. E. L. Pierce, Mrs. C. S. Sargent, Mrs. Charles Sprague Sargent, Mrs. Charles Hartley Shattuck, Mrs. Robert G. Shaw, Mrs. Quincy A. Shaw, Mrs. Robert M. P. Sturgis, Mrs. Henry Saltonstall, Mrs. A. Winthrop Wood and Mrs. W. Wetherbee.

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Quite the event of the year with the Radcliffe set in and about Boston and Washington. This year as usual the four years' graduating class, under the direction of Miss Florentia Vining and is in two parties, one being given at the Country Club and the other at Colonial express. The first party leaves Boston April 11 and the second April 14. The latter being the owner of a beautiful estate in Groton near the Groton School where the Commencement festivities will be held, will, it is expected, be a guest at the White House during her stay.

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The first post Lenten dance of interest to the social world will be that given on Easter Monday by Mr. and Mrs. William Lewis Technor of Melville avenue, Dorchester, in honor of their daughter, Miss Technor. The dance will take place in Whitton Hall from 8 until 1.

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The last in the series of four talks on psychology and child study, which Dr. John A. Nowl is giving at the houses of Mrs. Arthur Rotch, Mrs. Barnard, will be on the 12th at the Codman residence. Mrs. W. Cunningham Bancroft, who has charge of this lecture will be "The Psychology of Play." Miss Mary Bancroft, daughter of Mrs. Henry L. Richmond of Exeter street, Boston, and Miss Ruth Bancroft, daughter of Mrs. Edward Hall Nichols of Marlboro street, Boston, are the guests of Mrs. Wilbur D. Underwood, Mrs. Charles W. Ward Mr. and Mrs. Frederick P. Fenner, Mrs. Charles E. Stevens, Mrs. William P. Farley, Mrs. Charles Hall Preston, Mrs. Charles H. Paine, Mrs. Alexander Martin, Mrs. Fred D. Lord, Mrs. Lee Hodges, Mrs. Mary E. Haskell and Miss Helen Colamore.

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Miss Mary Desmond, the English contributor, a newcomer to Boston's social and literary circles, who has been the guest of honor at numerous affairs since her arrival in October last April 23. This will be the first time that she has appeared before a Boston audience, but her reputation as a lecturer is well established. Miss Desmond, who is also well as such in vogue and where she has participated in many concerts and at the receptions of the Duchess of Marlborough, Lady Randolph Churchill, Lady Lowther, Lady Cunard and Mrs. Waldorf Astor. Her appearance in Boston Desmond has made a great success with society, and there will figure largely in her coming programme.

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General interest centres in the curio fancy exhibition to be held in Copley Hall the week of April 16. The private view on Monday afternoon, April 16, from 2 to 6 o'clock, will, as usual, be attended chiefly by the artists, when tea will be served and the entertainers area for the first time Saturday, April 21, the last day of the exhibition, society will again be in evidence, as it is then there will be an auction of all original works exhibited.

Weddings

Beginning with the wedding of Miss Mary B. Linder to Professor H. M. Goodwin, on Saturday, April 28, and ending with that of Miss Marian Lawrence to her cousin, Harold Peabody, early in May, the season of Easter nuptials bride will be a long and a distinguished one.

Miss Linder is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Linder of Beacon street, and her wedding will take place at noon in the Arlington Street Church.

A more quiet wedding to take place on the same day is that of Miss Mae Mason and Mr. Charles W. Elmer. The ceremony will be private, but will be followed by a large reception at the home of the bride's parents on Massachusetts avenue, Cambridge.

The following day, Tuesday, the wedding of Miss Malcolm Fay of Beacon street and Miss May Peterson will be celebrated in St. Thomas Church, New York, in the presence of a large number from the most exclusive circles of Boston and New York society.

On the same day in Trinity Church Miss Ethel Armstrong, daughter of Mrs. George W. Armstrong of Beacon street, Brookline, will become the bride of Mr. Albert H. Hayes, Jr. The ceremony, which will be quiet and private, is to be followed by a large reception at the Armstrong residence from 4 until 6 p. m.

Wednesday, April 18, is the day set for the marriage of Miss Ethel Frank, daughter of Mrs. Atherton Bloom of Commonwealth avenue, to Dr. Bennett L. De Normandie of Beacon street. The nuptials will be very quietly observed, and the ceremony will be performed by the groom's brother, the Rev. James De Normandie. A reception and breakfast will follow at the Bloom residence.

The following Wednesday, April 25, the marriage of Mrs. Eleanor Hopkins and Dr. Woodbury Sawyer will be celebrated at Trinity Church at noon.

One of the most brilliant and most brilliant of the brides of the Easter period will be that of Miss Leslie Gray of Commonwealth avenue and Mr. Edward Sawyer of New York, which will be celebrated on April 25 in Emmanuel Church. The ceremony will be followed by a breakfast at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Frank F. Peabody on Commonwealth avenue, the bride's aunt and aunt, with whom she resides.

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Miss Lodge Morse entertained almost a score of her friends at a luncheon and birthday with music and games.

Mrs. Prentiss Dudley is home from her visit in New York.

Mrs. Fred George and daughter have gone to Grafton, Vt.

The engagement of Miss Mary Pierl, daughter of Louis Pierl, to Louis Rosa has been announced.

Miss Annie Nixon and Miss Beasis Welch are home from a visit in Malden.

Engagements

Announcement has been made of the engagement of Miss Aimee P. Gallert, daughter of Mr and Mrs. Mark Gallert of Holyoke road, Brookline, to Mr. Walter Stern Hellman, now of New York, but formerly of this city.

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Another engagement of interest is that announced the past week of Miss Marguerite Peal daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William M. Peal, of Beacon street, to Mr Ralph Carpenter.

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Of especial interest is the engagement of Miss Inez Sprague Wheaton, a great granddaughter of Solmon P. Chase to M. Jerrold Whipney of Philadelphia. The wedding will be an event of next June at the Episcopal Church at Newcastle, Me., and will be followed by a reception at Carmichael, the historic estate of ex-Senator Sprague, grandfather of the bride to be.

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Mr. and Mrs. Edward Fay of Lawrence announce the engagement of their granddaughter, Miss Mary Fay MacKenzie to Mr. John Hilton Worth of Quincy, formerly of Sharon.

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The engagement has been announced of Miss Elizabeth Barnes, of this city, to Mr. J. Wistar Evans, of Kentucky, formerly of Germantown, Pa.

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Announcement is also been made of the engagement of Miss Freda M Haskell of Dorchester to Mason T. Rogers of Somerville.

Dorchester

The Catholic club will give a minstrel show on the nights of April 18, 19 and 20 at the Dudley Street Opera House to increase the club's building fund.

Benjamin Stone Post 68, W. R. C., held a baked bean supper and whist party in G. A. R. Hall, Park street, on Wednesday evening.

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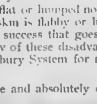

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skaters as at this mammoth rink. Great preparations are being made for the Lenten carnival and the costumes contest for which will be given on Saturday evening, March 31, will be a feature of the evening. Boston candy roses and other souvenirs will be furnished by Leeb's Mill ary Bar.

Burr McIntosh Lecture

Arrangements have been made to give two special matinees at the Majestic Theatre next week, when Burr McIntosh will give his new famous lecture, complete of the celebrated trip of ex-Judge Taft and the distinguished party who is soon to sail him to the Philippines, China and Japan next Summer.

Concert at the Colonial

Music of a varied nature, both vocal and instrumental will be rendered in a charity concert at the Colonial Theatre Easter Sunday, to aid the [illegible] Mission. The [illegible] under the direction of Louis Burr Hardt.

Sunday Concerts

Ten acts will comprise the Sunday concert at the Columbia Theatre tonight, inclusive of a number of eight acts and some capital pictures on the Vitagraph. There will be a number of comedy acts, also.

Tom Nawn and his company in the comedy playlet "A Touch of Nature" will be the feature of the concert at the Grand Theatre today. James B. Fennell and Harvey, the man with the green gloves, the Reiff Brothers, dancing experts, Potter and Hartwell, athletes, the Brothers Gerson, comedians, the Marvine and Breen's educated Indefinite equine [illegible] complete the [illegible].

Sunday evening concerts will also be given at the Majestic Theatre, Boston Theatre and the Bowdoin Square Theatre, filled with interesting acts, the exact number of which it is not possible to announce in this column because the list of attractions was not received in time for publication.

Coming Attractions

Broadhurst and Currie will bring to the Globe on Monday, April 16, a new four-act play of the American frontier entitled [illegible], by J. Madden Dail, whose [illegible] knowledge of the plains is a lifelong [illegible]. The part of Oklahoma is played by [illegible], formerly a favorite at the Castle Square.

At the Boston Theatre a week from tomorrow evening Arthur Mack, the famous young Irish comedian, will [illegible] upon a fortnight's engagement in "The Way to Kerhaire," his most comedy success.

Digby Bell, Lotta Linden Bolden, in the new musical [illegible] "The Street Singer," will be the attraction at the Grand Opera House next week, with two performances on Patriots' Day.

The popular program which Sousa and his band will render at the Boston Theatre Sunday evening, April 22, will be the big musical treat of the Sunday week in this city. This will be Sousa's first visit to Boston this season.

First appearance in Boston of Bertha Kalich as a star under Harrison Grey Fiske's management in "Mastership." Mme. Nazimova will be at the Hollis Theatre next week. The new star's company is intact, with a splendid array of auxiliary.

Stage Notes

Buffalo Bill, the "King of Cowboys," is featured in "A Yankee Circus on Mars," the big New York Hippodrome show, which comes to the Boston Theatre this week for a season. Among other feats he shows the buttons off an evening dress worn by his wife, causing her to appear en dishabille.

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There is considerable footage between the two Lackaye boys now in "The Earl and the Girl." If you get one you miss get the other. Velma Hawkins found this out the other day by showing too much attention to the Skye terrier, and the fox terrier resented it immediately, and the audience saw a dog fight as an added feature of the performance.

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It took two hours' work over the long distance telephone in various cities to arrange for the cancellation of engagements so that Miss Leffingwell's Boston might be brought to the Hollis Street theatre to open with it the long [illegible] run by the sudden illness of Ethel Barrymore.

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The last of the Shakespearian productions of the present season at the Castle Square will be made during the week of April 16, "Romeo and Juliet" being the play selected. The tragedy was one of the big [illegible] it will be remembered, and it revival will be more than [illegible] anticipated. The scenery has been designed by Frank Chouteau Brown, and Mr. Craig and Miss Ivanhoe will appear respectively as Romeo and Juliet.

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In the lecture which Burr McIntosh gives of the trip of Secretary Taft to the Philippines he now has over 225 colored views, which are said to be the finest ever made.

So numerous have been the requests to Hoadley for a public performance of the Hindoo needle trick that he has decided to include it in his program for the coming week, which will be the last at Keith's. This is the trick which mystified over 1,200 scientists at Keith's a few weeks ago.

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Summer prices will go into effect at the Columbia tomorrow night. At the evening performances 250 orchestra chairs will be reserved at 25 cents each. 150 first balcony seats at the same price and the entire balcony will be reserved for 15 cents.

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Following the Hat Manufacturers' [illegible] Kolker will appear at the Grand Opera House for [illegible] week, in which she will sing in "Masterpieces of Pictorial Drama," "Ida Vanna," and possibly [illegible] "Rosalind."

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Possibly many playwrights who [illegible] so little noise [illegible] do, the [illegible] Julian Mitchell, [illegible] using a full stage crew and [illegible] scenes are all locked in a safe under the stage, the [illegible] [illegible] at the switch board and the [illegible] form the stage squad are trustees [illegible] do not leave their station. Rehearsals this all was felt [illegible].

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Oswald Yorke, Ada Rehan's leading man, was in the company that played the final engagement in Boston of the old Boston Museum. Heretofore a number of notable souvenirs [illegible] engagement.

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The biggest amateur enterprise in New England next June will be the Ariadne [illegible] of the features it Pageant Park [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

THE WEATHER.

For Boston and vicinity: Fair today, showers Monday afternoon; light variable winds. Slightly warmer.

High water: 10:30 a. m.; 11 p. m.

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ARREST FOR INSURANCE REBATE.

Lawson's Searchlight Leads to Action Against New York Life Agent.

JAIL OFFICIAL FACES ESCAPE PLOT CHARGE

'John Doe' Indictment Believed to Be Aimed at Lodge's Secretary.

GRAND JURY CLEARS UP IMPORTANT WORK

An insurance agent under indictment and arrest as a result of Thomas W Lawson's charges, a former jail official under indictment and arrest as a result of a recent escape from the Charles Street Jail and the personal investigation of District Attorney Moran, and a secret indictment, believed by politicians and lawyers to be of Robert G. Proctor, private secretary to United States Senator Henry Cabot Lodge, was the sensational result of the report from the Grand Jury, after a hard week's work by District Attorney John B. Moran.

Frederick F. Hockaday, agent for the New York Life and Mutual Life Insurance Companies, charged with having allowed rebates on insurance policies in return for the use of the proxies, was arrested on the indictment and found bail at police headquarters.

Charles H. Hatch, a former night watchman at the Charles Street Jail, is charged with having assisted in the escape of George H. Gaskill from the jail on the night of February 16. His indictment is the result of the District Attorney's immediate and personal investigation, after the BOSTON AMERICAN had called his attention to the evidence of official collusion in Gaskill's escape.

"John Doe" Proceeding.

The third indictment is a "John Doe" proceeding, and the name of the person indicted will not be officially made known until the arrest under it has taken place. Lawyers, politicians and others at the county courthouse yesterday freely stated it as their belief that the person under indictment was Secretary Proctor, who had been charged with improper conduct by John C. Bestgen. This was not denied nor admitted by District-Attorney Moran.

It is said that Mr. Proctor is now on his way to Boston from Washington, and if it be true that he has been indicted, it is supposed he will give himself up, prepared to furnish immediate bail, upon his arrival in Boston.

Assistant Secretary of the Treasury James R. Reynolds, who, as executive clerk of the Republican State Committee in 1904, had been requested by the District Attorney to appear before the Grand Jury, arrived in town last night, having been delayed by an official engagement in New York, of which he had notified Mr. Moran by telephone. He declined to discuss the case, but said he was ready to appear as a witness whenever he is wanted.

Gave $200 to Campaign.

Bestgen, who made the charge against Secretary Proctor, declares that in 1904 he contributed $200 to the Republican Campaign fund, and that the printed lists of contributors to the fund, which are required by law, did not contain his name. He says that at that time he was attempting to secure the consulate at Solingen, Germany, and expected to be successful. What criminal charge could be made against Mr. Proctor in this case is not known. If the indictment is quashed this will become public upon his arrest.

It is expected that the cases of Hockaday and Hatch will come before the Superior Court to-morrow.

The indictment against the insurance agent was found on the evidence gathered by Thomas W. Lawson, which has already been published.

It is alleged that Hockaday rebated Mr Lawson's policy to procure the officials of the insurance companies, but, finding that legal technicalities interfered with the freeing of the Lawson policy, he refused to withdraw his case. This Mr. Moran would not allow, saying that he was in his office to enforce the laws, whether they struck a big man or a little one.

"Undoubtedly Mr. Moran's attitude is right," said Mr. Lawson last night to a reporter for the BOSTON AMERICAN, "but I am rather sorry I had brought the matter to his attention, because, to prosecute some poor devil of an agent. It was the hard deals I succeeded in getting—and will get before I am through."

Each Gives Bail.

Hockaday is thirty years old and lives at No. 7 Linden Park, Roxbury. He has an office at Room 240, Exchange Building. He was bailed soon after his arrest.

Hatch, who was indicted for enabling Gaskill to escape from jail, was held in $1000 bail.

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TIDAL WAVE RUMOR SAID THE AZORES WERE DEVASTATED

World Startled by Unconfirmed Report of Disaster to the Girt Isles

The entire world was startled last night by a circumstantial dispatch from Berlin to the effect that the German government had heard that the Azores had been devastated by an enormous tidal wave, and that the list of dead would run into the thousands.

Lloyds' at London, received the news at midnight, and sent it out. No confirmation of the report followed, and all attempts to verify the story failed. The German cable to the Azores is reported as working all right.

It is impossible to learn where the story started, the original source of information—"the German government"—being too broad to admit of detailed attempts to trace it to its source.

From many cities where natives of the Azores live there came anxious queries as to details of the supposed disaster.

"LEAVE ME ALONE, I'M NOT GOING TO DIE," SAYS SHALER

Harvard Professor Rallies From Death Stupor and Raps the Doctors.

Professor Nathaniel S. Shaler of Harvard is recovering from the illness which threatened his life. Early yesterday, when Mr. Shaler's recovery was despaired of, saline injections were given with a result that he regained consciousness and surprised Dr. Shattuck by saying, "If you doctors will stop pumping stuff into me I will be all right. Just let me alone. I am not going to die. All I want is a rest."

All signs of pneumonia have left, although the patient is still weak from the operation for appendicitis.

FIRE IN A TRUNK GIVES TOURAINE GUESTS A SCARE

Frightened Employe Caught Chief Mullen in His Auto, but Blaze Was All Out.

Guests at the fashionable Hotel Touraine, who heard the clamor of fire engines and other apparatus outside the hotel at 8.30 o'clock last night and asked where the fire was, were startled to learn that it had been in the hotel itself, but that it had been already extinguished.

One of the most agitated persons in the hotel was the employe who discovered the fire, which started in a trunk in the baggage room. He dashed frantically into the street to summon the fire department, and was just in time to detect Fire Chief Mullen sliding around the hotel corner in his new blue automobile.

"Hi, Chief," yelled the employe, "the hotel's afire." Then he sprang to the nearest fire alarm and rushed in a call before the Chief's chauffeur had whirled the department auto around and landed the chief at the hotel steps.

The chief found that other baggage room employes had put out the fire, keeping the damage inside of $10.

CARNEGIE GIVES AWAY KISSES TO SOUTHERN WOMEN

"You Are Such a Fine Looking Lady," He Said, and He Couldn't Help It.

Atlanta, Ga., April 7.—Andrew Carnegie is not yet so far advanced in years nor relieved from the gifts of libraries as to have forgotten the deliciousness of a kiss.

Mrs. J. T. Richberg and another lady were introduced to Mr. Carnegie by Mr. Phelps Stokes in the Iron Kings library in the presence of a throng of visitors. Mrs. Richberg congratulated Mr. Carnegie ecstatically upon the speech he had made on the South and upon Southern women.

"You are such a fine looking lady," said Mr. Carnegie with enthusiasm, "that I am going to kiss you for all the rest here." And with that, before Mrs. Richberg knew what was happening, he kissed her fair and square. Then Mrs. Richberg's friend was kissed, while a distinct flutter was noticed among other beauties. "No," I wouldn't take anything for it," promptly said Mrs. Richberg, "when I congratulated him upon his speech he just threw his arms around my neck and kissed me before I could think. Oh, he's a fine fellow." Until Mr. Carnegie left for the Governor's mansion the two ladies who had been kissed were the cynosure of all eyes. Mrs. Richberg was one of many Atlanta ladies who was kissed by Capt Richmond P. Hobson, "hero of the Merrimac" in 1899 in this city.

ARGUMENTS IN SMOOT CASE WEDNESDAY

Washington, April 7.—A meeting of the Senate committee on privileges and elections has been called for Wednesday to hear arguments in the Reed Smoot case.

VESUVIUS DOOMS 4,300.

Italian Village Completely Destroyed by Death-Dealing Lava Streams.

FATE OF POPULATION IS STILL IN DOUBT

Three Other Cities Cut Off by Molten Fire from Volcano.

ROADS FILLED WITH FEAR-CRAZED REFUGEES

Special cable to the Boston Sunday American.

Naples April 7. The white hot lava from the belching crater of Mt Vesuvius this afternoon completely destroyed the town of Bosco Trecase. The town had a population of 4,300. None of the inhabitants had abandoned the town before it was destroyed.

It was believed that all those in the town of Bosco Trecase had left, but now it appears that some of those who had witnessed previous severe eruptions of Vesuvius misjudged the violence of the present disturbance and remained in their houses.

The destroyed town presented no more of an obstacle in the path of the irresistible stream than if the whole town had been an aggregation of houses of cards. The lava seemed to come to an infinitesimal pause. Then it swept over houses, streets and public buildings and churches. All were utterly obliterated.

OTHER CITIES THREATENED.

In the city of Torre del Greco, which has a population of 30,000, terror reigns supreme. That city and Ottanjo, with a population of 20,000, are directly in the path of the streams of lava. Bosco Trecase lies between the volcano and Pompeii, the ancient city which was also buried by one of the great eruptions of the volcano. It is the nearest to the belching crater and naturally the first to be reached by the lava stream.

The peasants and villagers are panic stricken and are fleeing from their homes. Naples is in the news of the alarmed country people and they have been flocking into the city in great numbers. The influx of refugees began yesterday afternoon and a steadily growing stream of them has continued to pour into the city ever since. The traffic on some of the roads leading into Naples is so great that the highways have become blocked, and it is with difficulty that the carts and wagons are able to make their way.

OTHER CRATERS OPENED.

New craters have opened and from them the lava is pouring down the mountain sides in wide streams. It is impossible to tell how long the flow will continue, and this has increased the alarm of the inhabitants of the whole country near the mountain.

On the side of the crater toward Pompeii, the flow has divided, while other craters have opened on Vesuvius. The streams have gone more than two miles. The lava emits terrible heat and a horrible odor.

The fate which befell Pompeii and Herculaneum over 1,900 years ago seems to be that of the villages and towns in the neighborhood of the eruption to-day. Whole families near the danger zone are terror-stricken, and artillery carts have been sent to help the fugitives to places of safety.

The women of the villages kneel as they flee from the moulton lava and with arms upraised invoke a miracle to stay the stream. The peasants throughout the region are praying continuously to St. Ana to save them from destruction.

Cardinal Joseph Prisco, archbishop of Naples, has ordered special prayers to be offered for the safety of those who are in danger.

VOLCANO'S PAST.

The story of Vesuvius is one of disaster. The first record of the volcano's eruption dates back to 63 A. D., when Nero ruled Rome. Herculaneum and Pompeii were partially destroyed. During the reign of Titus, Vesuvius broke loose in her fury and completely buried the cities of Pompeii, Herculaneum and Stabiæ on December 16, 1631, more than 3,000 persons lost their lives in a severe earthquake and flow of lava that extended as far as Torre Annunziata and destroyed Bosco Trecase, the town which suffered to-day, and other towns in the vicinity.

A violent eruption occurred in 1900, since which date the volcano has been almost constantly active. Only last February the flow of lava destroyed the railroad that climbs to the top of the mountain. But it was repaired and sightseers have continued to venture up the sides of the volcano.

ROOSEVELT GUEST OF HUNTERS' CLUB

Washington, April 7.—The Boone and Crockett Club, composed of mighty and wealthy hunters and fishermen of the United States, is holding its annual banquet at the Willard to-night. President Roosevelt is with them.

"SNAPSHOT TAKEN YESTERDAY OF MARIAN CAREY, SWEETHEART OF NORTHEY, AND HER CHUM, ROSIE CLIFFORD, WHO TESTIFIED ABOUT CHURCH MEETING AT WHICH "DEATH TRYST", IT IS SAID, WAS MADE

MISS CLIFFORD. MISS CAREY.

FACING RIVAL IN DEAD BOY'S LOVE

Mrs. Cooper, With Flushed Face, Listens Eagerly as Marian Carey Tells of Romance

CLIMAX OF DRAMATIC TRIAL.

Young Sweetheart of Northey Describes His Meeting with Accused in Church.

QUARREL ALLEGED TO HAVE CAUSED TRAGEDY

One of Main Links in State's Chain of Evidence Against Married Woman.

MYSTERIOUS LETTER ADMITTED BY COURT

Stress Laid by Prosecution Upon Jealousy as a Motive for the Crime.

FOUR JURORS COMPLAIN OF SLIGHT ILLNESSES

Augusta, Me., April 7.—Miss Marian Carey, the sixteen-year-old girl of whom it is contended by the State Mrs. Alice F. Carey was so jealous that she lured Charles D. Northey, Jr., to her home and killed him, took the witness stand to-day and faced the woman who is on trial.

Miss Carey told the story of her acquaintance with Charley Northey, who had begun to pay her attention about four months before the tragedy took place. While the girl was on the stand Mrs. Cooper, with flushed face, never took her eyes from the features of the witness.

Miss Carey told of the last meeting between Mrs Cooper and Northey in public, and of an anonymous letter that she received written in a woman's hand.

Miss Carey said that she, Rosie Clifford and Charley Northey went together to the Baptist Church on Sunday evening, October 8, and that Northey and Mrs. Cooper sat together and talked all the time of the service. That Northey repulsed the woman was the emphatic testimony of the girl.

When the trio went to the church, Miss Carey said, Charley went to the rear of the room and stood up. Mrs. Cooper was not there when they went in, but she soon arrived. This is what happened, said Miss Carey:

QUARRELLED IN CHURCH?

"Mrs. Cooper came in and sat down five or six pews behind me. Her husband sat further to the front. I turned around and saw her beckon to Charley Northey, who was standing at the back of the church. He shook his head.

"Then she beckoned again, but he did not go to her. Then she went to him and took his arm and led him to where she had been sitting. They sat down together."

"After that, what did you see?" the girl was asked.

"Every time I looked around she was talking to him. Sometimes she nodded."

It was at this meeting that it was testified by other witnesses Mrs. Cooper and Northey quarreled; that she became red in the face, her eyes flashed and she shook her head angrily.

At this meeting Mrs. Cooper, it has been testified, made the engagement with Northey to meet her at her home on Tuesday afternoon, when he met his

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NAME CANDIDATE AGAINST CODMAN

The resignation of James M. Codman, chairman of the Brookline Board of Selectmen, was practically assured last evening, when it was announced by his friends that Philip S. Parker, a former Boston attorney, and a former candidate for the Board, had been selected as a candidate for Mr. Codman's place.

At a meeting at the residence of Alfred D. Chandler the matter of Mr. Codman's resignation was discussed.

It is said that Mr. Codman has his letter of resignation prepared, and it will be sent to the Board of Selectmen this week.

PARK STREET CLUB DEBATES INSURANCE

After a lively debate last night between the members of the Park Street Club of the Park Street Church the members, by an overwhelming majority vote, decided that the business of life insurance should be controlled by the government. John T. Hayes and H. Chester Story spoke in the affirmative, Otto Abrahamsen and Clarence H. Webb in the negative.

LYNN DOCTOR WEDS SECRETLY PRETTY BRUNETTE.

Lynn people learned yesterday of the secret marriage of Miss Agnes L. Fitzgerald, a handsome brunette, who has been bookkeeper in a Lynn market, to Dr. Charles H. Worthen of Lynn, the wedding taking place in Lynn Friday. After being married the bride told her family, saying that she and her husband were wedded secretly to avoid the prominence of a public ceremony. The fight member of the family she told was her brother, Paymaster Edward J. Fitzgerald of the General Electric Company. He telephoned their mother who was visiting in Salem.

Mrs. Worthen is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John H. Fitzgerald, of No. 84 Moulton street. She had received attention from Dr. Worthen for two years. Dr. Worthen, whose office is at No 33 Mall street, Lynn, is a Protestant and his bride is a Catholic. He secured a marriage license Friday morning in Lynn City Hall and pledged the clerk to secrecy till they announced it.

13-YEAR-OLD BOY ROVER IS MISSING

The 13-year-old Joseph Brodrick is missing. His relatives think that he "ran away from home" in the cause, and are expecting a letter from him from some far distant place.

Joseph's home is with Mrs. Julia Sullivan, at No 11 Hollins street. He attended the Rice Grammar School. He is of medium complexion, with blue eyes. When he left home he wore a gray corduroy cap, a black reefer, black shoes and black stockings.

This is not the first time he has left home.

DEDICATE SHAFT TO WISCONSIN HEROES

Savannah, Tenn., April 7.—The Wisconsin monument to the soldiers of that state, who fell at the battle of Shiloh, April 6, 7, 1862, was dedicated on the battlefield to-day. A large number of distinguished citizens of Wisconsin, including Governor James O. Davidson and members of his staff, were present.

THESE SEVEN TEACHERS ARE HIGH IN THE EUROPEAN TOUR ELECTION.

TEACHERS WILL GO TO EUROPE IN SUPERB STYLE.

Everything First Class for the Forty School Teachers Elected.

STATEROOMS ON LINERS ARE ALREADY RESERVED

Itineraries of Prize Summer Tours in Europe Best Possible.

Here are all the facts about the tours and cash prizes in the teachers' free European Tour election.

Forty women teachers will be given the Summer tours abroad by the BOSTON SUNDAY AMERICAN. The readers of the AMERICAN will decide by their votes who the forty teachers are to be. The election is divided into four independent divisions, with part of the tours awarded to each.

As for the tours themselves, they are superb. The teachers elected will go "first class," with all that that term implies in foreign travel, and their every expense will be paid by the BOSTON SUNDAY AMERICAN. The splendid staterooms are already reserved and the accommodations at all European hotels will be the best, carriages will be provided for comfortable sight-seeing, guides will be engaged, and every other provision made for the happiness of the forty New England women representatives.

There will be ten "GRAND TOURS" lasting sixty-six days and embracing all the great capitals and show places of Europe. There will be ten so-called "European tours" lasting forty-five days. And there will be twenty "Shakespearean Tours" of thirty-three days of time.

Rich Cash Prizes.

In addition to these tours for the forty women teachers elected, there will be one receiving the highest number of votes, irrespective of their division, will receive a total of $1,000 in cash. The first six teachers will thus be very liberally recompensed for any efforts they have made to gain votes. The ten first receiving the highest vote will be awarded a $500 the second $300, the third $150, the fourth $75, the fifth $50 and the sixth $25.

The voting will cease and the contest end on June 24.

The first teachers will sail from Boston on July 5.

Twenty of the winning teachers will go in this first delegation on July 5, sailing on the magnificent speedy steamer White Star liner Arabic, 616 liner. The other twenty winners of the "Grand Tour" and ten of the "European Tour" the members of the different tours will part company when they reach London, although they will visit many of the same points, and may meet several times in their journeys.

The remaining twenty teachers will sail from Boston aboard the splendid liner Ivernian on July 11.

MISS VIOLET CALDECK.

MINNIE E DONOVAN

GRACE DE WOLFE HAMMOND

MISS ANNA L. MAGUIRE.

NELLIE G GONNORS

MISS MABEL GILMAN

MADELINE DRISCOLL

SOME TEACHERS' TOUR LEADERS

In the six pictures in a group at the right are those who will be in charge of the ten tours in a delightful Summer tour of Europe.

CUT THIS BALLOT OUT!

GOOD FOR TWENTY VOTES

BOSTON SUNDAY AMERICAN EUROPEAN TOURS BALLOT

10 TEN VOTES

Name.....

School.....

Place.....

LETTERS GIVE PRAISE TO WORTHY TEACHERS WHO ARE IN CONTEST

Here are some of the messages that have come to the European Tour Editor's letter box:

"Miss Bessie Allan of Warren High School is the best teacher in town, as I would say in the contest. [illegible]

"Miss Fay [illegible] ... [illegible] ... [illegible] ...

COOPER JURY WILL DISAGREE, SAY OBSERVERS

INNOCENT? GUILTY?

These Points Are Urged Against Mrs. Cooper

That she was deeply in love with Northey.

That she did not want him to go with Marian Carey.

That he quarrelled with Northey at the Dyer cottage and broke an engagement for him to go to her house.

That on Monday, the next day, she bought a revolver.

That on Tuesday Northey was killed with this weapon.

That the course of the bullet indicated Northey was shot by Mrs. Cooper.

Points to Prove Her Innocence

That Mrs. Cooper cared for Northey as she did for her own children.

That Northey gave her no cause to be jealous of Marian Carey.

That the church talk was about Northey ceasing his visits to her home.

That she bought the revolver because she was afraid of Carey.

That the boy was killed accidentally while trying to get the weapon.

That the course of the bullet indicated the weapon was held in Northey's hand.

That there were powder marks on the scalp and some of the hair singed.

Snapshot of Mr. and Mrs. Cooper Coming from Court.

By Boston Sunday American Staff Photographer.

Careful Study of Evidence, and of the Effect on Jury in Northey Murder Trial Leads to Belief That Conviction Will Not Be Secured by the State.

CIRCUMSTANTIAL CHAIN OF THREE LINKS FORGED

August Mc April 7—A very careful and impartial study of the evidence that has been presented by the State in the trial of Mrs. Olive J. Cooper for the alleged murder of Charles E. Northey Jr. on a motor boat with Wollaston Heights as the scene of the terrible tragedy that snuffed out the young woman's fate, has led those who have attended the trial from the start to the firm belief that the jury will disagree and bring in a verdict.

Case Unduly Prolonged.

It is declared by those who have made a study of each of the Cooper cases that the case has been prolonged. The circumstantial evidence which the State has been trying to show that the woman has only a motive but also the means with which to commit the crime, if any more proof is necessary, is the fateful

Sunday evening, October 8, when Northey and Mrs. Cooper quarrelled at the church.

Monday, October 9, when Mrs. Cooper bought the revolver.

Tuesday, October 10, when the boy kept what proved to be his death secret.

Mrs. Cooper never left the side of her mother, Mrs. Ada Hall, during the days that Mrs. Cooper was in love with Charles Northey and that he was about to break away from her for Marian Carey, a girl of sixteen, to whom he had been paying attention since the July previous to the tragedy. The existence of jealousy on the part of Mrs. Cooper is found in the testimony as to what took place at Mrs. Hall's Belvidere motel at the South Middsex Baptist Church on the evening of the 8th.

It was Mrs. Cooper's first visit to church she attended with her a promise of that Northey be call at her home on the following Tuesday. And on that morning she had thought of her mind. Before she received the residence the idea of buying a revolver occurred to her.

On the next day was Monday, the day before she was to see Charley Northey, perhaps for the last time. What did Mrs. Cooper do in anticipation of that visit? She came to Augusta and bought the revolver with which the young man was killed. Did Mrs. Cooper buy that revolver with the intention of committing a crime? Did Northey promise to give up Marian Carey and give her his entire devotion? Or did she buy it to protect herself as she afterwards contended?

On Tuesday afternoon, according to people here, Northey came to see Mrs. Cooper at her home. What took place in that house after that only Mrs. Cooper knows. She has made a statement about it. Has she told all?

"Charley Has Shot Himself."

The first person to know of the shooting of young Northey besides Mrs. Cooper, was her husband, Edward Cooper, who was working in his blacksmith shop. Mrs. Cooper ran out of the house in a very excited manner and, according to Cooper's statement, came to several county officials and said:

"Charley has shot himself, go for a doctor."

While Mrs. Cooper's first statement of what took place in that room, of which she is the only living witness. She has never made any other, so far as is known, except to be said when questioned by the police: "I did not think I ever could tell what happened." It is also meant by the statement that she did not think the boy's death was to be laid to her charge.

Mrs. Cooper is on the witness stand, and what took place in her house that October afternoon. What the jury has already heard in evidence is the story as Mrs. Cooper told it two days after the tragedy to a detective and some of the county officials. Her statement was taken down in shorthand, and we read it in court from the witness stand. Here it is:

Northey's Body Exhumed.

"Tuesday afternoon we had Northey and Mrs. Cooper talked it all over and I said it was goodby for the last time. He put his arms about me and kissed me goodby. He felt the revolver and he quickly pulled it from my pocket. We both goggled it and it must have gone off. He was stronger, and in a minute he had it. Then I ran. I rushed for my husband. I screamed, and he says I said Charlie has shot himself."

Does the testimony that the tragedy did have happened in this way? Was Northey's death the result of accident, as Mrs. Cooper says, or did she shoot him? What happened after the tragedy in the way of medical examination has taken up a great deal of the time of the trial of the case. But will it have any effect on the jury?

The defense will show that if Northey killed himself the most natural way for him to do it with the weapon would have been just the way it is claimed it was fired. The defense will show that he would have held it a foot away from his head or even a few inches, and there would have been no powder or singed hair.

It is the opinion of those who have followed the trial that this medical testimony will not carry any vital weight with the jury. The testimony was not technical in character, of such conflicting, as to leave the State's witnesses that it will play a very small part in the consideration of the jury.

Then what remains? The love story of Mrs. Cooper and pretty married woman and the student young man. But Mrs. Cooper really think so much of Northey that she would rather have killed him than see him leave her for another? Witness these and, it is believed, others in such a manner that the State has utterly failed to make out a case and that the accused woman is innocent. A disagreement is the logical result.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

DYSPEPSIA CURED RIGHT.

Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets, composed of natural digestive elements like the gastric juices, cure naturally and surely, because they give the stomach rest while perfectly digesting the food, no matter what the condition of that organ. For sale by all druggists—50 cents the box

PEN PICTURE OF JURY THAT WILL DECIDE WOMAN'S FATE

By Eleanor Ames.

Augusta, Me., April 7—Hereafter, when a juror is called to qualify for duty in a murder trial, he will undoubtedly be asked:

"Are you a patient man?" The answer will depend his acceptance. If he hesitates, he is either lost or favored, which every way he looks at it, by one side or the other will be sure to object to him. The long drawn out and hard fought battle which has for three weeks kept the markets of the trial of Mrs. Olive Cooper of the murder of Charles E. Northey Jr., has tested to the limit the patience of the twelve men who for the time being hold her fate in their hands.

For over three weeks they have lived in most lonely and secluded ways, and surrounded by all the world and by all the city keyed to concert pitch with excitement. They have not seen their homes, their wives, their children. They have not read a daily or weekly newspaper. The home letters have been carefully edited so as to give them only such news as would not disturb their peace of mind. Nothing else has been allowed them.

Their days and nights have been spent in a queer world of the ordinary. Bailiff Edwin Ellis E. O. Tibbetts, who looks like a typical country jury, as far as age goes, is their keeper. He is the middle of the road, has a keen sense of humor, frequently during the testimony of the lawyers yawns, and the other jurors, as neighborhood gossip, his face would be greeted with smiles and he even would twinkle as he rocked back and forth on the rear legs of his chair.

Has an Air of Alertness.

The most important man of all, C. H. Stevens, the foreman, sits at the end of the first row, nearest to the witness stand. He is a man whose head looks remarkable long time, but having once made up his mind, would be as unchanging as the rock-ribbed hills. He is the foreman of the Kendrick, the scene of the Mattie Hackett murder, and lives not far away from the homes of the Hackett and Hubbard families. He is a small man with an interestingly wrinkled face, and shrewd, sharp eyes and iron gray hair.

Never has a jury had more grotesque, deformed and horrible exhibits for consideration than this. They have each in turn had Charley Northey's skull, filled with its covered heels of another man. They have passed around the bottom of the Hubbard boat, on which Mrs. Cooper and the boy were alone when the fatal shot was fired, and have seen the bullet hole in the bottom of the boat. They have had the opportunity of examining the clothes worn by Mrs. Cooper on the day of the murder, and have seen the bullet hole in the dress. They have had the opportunity of examining the clothes worn by Mrs. Cooper on the day of the murder, and have seen the bullet hole in the dress. They have had the opportunity of examining the clothes worn by Mrs. Cooper on the day of the murder, and have seen the bullet hole in the dress.

A PRETTY MATRON OWES HEALTH TO PE-RU-NA.

MRS. ANNA N. KAISER.

Had Suffered Severely From Pelvic Catarrh—Cannot Praise Peruna Too Highly—Read Her Letter.

MRS. ANNA N. KAISER. Two Rivers, Wis., was a sufferer from pelvic catarrh to such an extent that she could scarcely do her own work. In describing her symptoms, she wrote:

"I have such terrible backaches and pains below my shoulder blades, way down my back and across my hips, and at times pains in the pelvic organs, so that I am not able to sit down or sleep. I also have pains through my left side and am afraid I may be getting heart trouble."

After taking Peruna and following Dr. Hartman's instructions for several weeks, Mrs. Kaiser reported as follows:

"I feel much stronger and do not get nervous as I used to. The pain is entirely gone, except when I work a little too hard. The medicine has done me wonderful good. I am taking Peruna and Manalin. My bowels are also in good condition."

Reports Her Cure.

After continuing the treatment a short time longer, Mrs. Kaiser reports the cure, as follows:

"I must drop you a line to let you know that I am well now and cured with your medicine. I must thank you for the advice you gave me.

"The medicine is something wonderful. I cannot praise it enough for the good it has done for me and I hope many others will be freed from their suffering.

"I have advised others who are suffering as I did to consult you and many are taking my advice. If ever I need medicine again, I know that Peruna will help me."

Revised Formula.

"For a number of years requests have come to me from a multitude of grateful friends, urging that Peruna be given a slight laxative quality. I have been experimenting with a laxative addition for quite a length of time, and now feel gratified to announce to the friends of Pe-ru-na that I have incorporated such a quality in the medicine which, in my opinion, can only enhance its well-known beneficial character.

"S. B. HARTMAN, M. D."

MRS. RAYMOND ANXIOUS TO COMFORT MRS. COOPER

Mrs. Elsie Hobbs Raymond, at the home of her parents, in Turner, Me., having possible attendance before the Grand Jury of Lowbridge of the murder in which Mattie Hackett met her death in Readfield, hopes that Mrs. Alice Cooper will be acquitted of the charge of killing Charles E. Northey, Jr.

The BOSTON SUNDAY AMERICAN sent a representative to Mrs. Raymond, asking her to attend the trial of Mrs. Cooper and express her opinion of the case. Mrs. Raymond's attorneys, however, believing that she should remain as much as possible in seclusion, vetoed the proposition.

To the BOSTON SUNDAY AMERICAN Mrs. Raymond expresses her belief in the innocence of Mrs. Cooper. She says:

"Mrs. Cooper never killed that boy any more than I killed Mattie Hackett."

Then she added: "I am sure Mrs. Cooper is going to come out all right in the end. I would be glad to do anything I could to help her."

Mrs. Raymond was asked if she would go to Augusta and see Mrs. Cooper. She said she would be glad to do so. She said that she was anxious to give Mrs. Cooper any help that she could.

When she said with feeling, "she is sure to be pitied than I am. She was called upon a sacrifice to the [illegible] Think of that skull in the trial and the brains that were all red into it, why, I don't see how any woman on earth could stand the ordeal."

Are you willing to go to Augusta to-day and meet Mrs. Cooper?

"Gladly," replied Mrs. Raymond. "I want to comfort that woman, as I know she would try to comfort me if I were in a position to do so."

Mrs. Raymond also agreed her own prospective case freely. The authorities asked her to go to Augusta a few days ago and she refused. She will go when she is legally summoned. She has heard that she will be wanted on April 10.

"Ask for me," said Mrs. Raymond. "I have suffered [illegible] people [illegible] Mrs. Cooper [illegible] but my fate is [illegible] I have no fear now when I [illegible] the face."

Mrs. Raymond refused to talk [illegible] ment and then she said:

"There are moments in a woman's life when she feels everything. I have lived through them as I have read of Mrs. Cooper's suffering. I have lived myself in her place. But to me there can come none of the horrible pictures that [illegible] her eyes. I cannot see one drop before my eyes. I cannot dream of that picture that presented itself when Northey fell dead at her feet. I can only know how it feels to be accused."

Proud of Her Baby.

As Mrs. Raymond was talking her baby woke up and cried. She ran to the crib and picked up a handsome child of seven months. Then turning to me she said:

"When they said I killed Mattie Hackett this baby was not born. Look at him. Does he show any trace of having passed through any such tragedy as the murder of a young girl? Isn't he pretty and plump and healthy and everything else that is good?

"They even took Mrs. Cooper's baby from her in the trial. It seemed cruel. What I do hope will be that Mrs. Cooper will be acquitted for the baby's sake."

[illegible] Mrs. Cooper she [illegible] the world [illegible] If the [illegible] Mrs. Cooper [illegible] with a world of appeal do her get it over with.

"What I do say is I am quite confident that Mrs. Cooper will be acquitted. I [illegible] the defense and see all that is going on, and I feel [illegible] proof that I have seen. I believe that Mrs. Cooper will be acquitted. I

PROBE PLOT TO COUNT OUT HEARST.

Republican Leaders Lose Fight to Force Agreement with Inspectors.

REFUSED TO RECOGNIZE PROTESTS BY HEARST MEN

By Boston American Leased Wire.

New York, April 7. Positive proof of a second plot to defeat William Randolph Hearst and the other Municipal Ownership candidates of the ticket was found by the Hearst forces this afternoon, when the contest for the seat of Assembyman John Schirmer, of the Eighth district, was opened.

Samuel Joseph, Republican inspector in the Fifty-ninth election district, confessed on the witness stand that he had entered into an agreement with his fellow inspectors as the result of which many votes were fraudulently counted for McClellan and the Tammany ticket.

Joseph declared that he had agreed with the other inspectors not to accept the protests of the Hearst watchers. He testified that all the ballots polled by the Democratic watchers were sent to the county clerk's office in the envelope provided, but that all but six got separated, the league watchers were put in the box and counted for McClellan and the Tammany ticket.

Pleaded Ignorance.

Another witness, Morris Hepburn, testified that on the count of the votes for municipal ownership ticket was defrauded of seven votes. Two inspectors made separate counts of the votes, one adding counted seven more than the other and the lowest count for Hearst.

Joseph, the last inspector, who confessed to the fraud, said he thought he was persuaded to commit it partly by fear of his own position as a Democrat and a Tammany official, and partly by the Hearst watchers having no chance to challenge votes as they were not represented on the election board.

The Hearst watchers were excluded in demanding their right to challenge under the law, they said, because they were not represented on the election board and had nothing to say. The Tammany captain of the district was drunk and threatened to shoot anybody who stopped him from voting, and left the polls in charge of a policeman and a Tammany worker, who refused to permit the Hearst watchers to challenge votes.

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May Call Tammany Man.

The [illegible] Tammany [illegible] to be called [illegible] to testify [illegible] and Walter [illegible] left the [illegible] and [illegible] Tammany [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

POLICE-EXCISE BILLS UNDER FIRE

Friends and Opponents to Be on Hand for Struggle for Existence.

LOMASNEY AND MAYOR TO MARSHAL FORCES

Members of the Republican State Committee will be on hand fighting for the Boston police and excise commission bill on Tuesday. Representatives of certain liquor interests will also be on hand to fight the bill. The police bills are expected to make promises and the other forces are expected to give something more substantial.

Martin Lomasney's and Mayor Fitzgerald's warriors will line up for the fray on Wednesday. They have been shrinking for several days, but decisive battle is expected on that day, when the Kiley bill, promoted by Lomasney, comes up. The bill would extend the civil service laws so that a policeman could appeal to the Supreme Board of Appeals and Conciliation for trial on charges preferred, transferred or suspended against their wishes.

The Puritan Sunday bill is also on record for Wednesday. Senator Kelley will be killed and a committee appointed to consider a new breakfast of Sunday laws. The House has passed the Sunday The House opponents of the bill work up too late. Kidder Peabody are reported to be fighting the bill in the Senate on the ground that it would affect the interests of "Wonderland," which they are said to be financing.

To-morrow Representative Agnes of Taunton will attempt to resurrect the 10 o'clock liquor bill by moving it out of the House. The bill was defeated Friday by a vote of 98 to 97. It can be reconsidered. The seventeen members of the House were absent. Many of the absentees are said to be for the 10 o'clock bill. The temperance people are fighting the bill with all their might.

The House will discuss the Works pacerni picketing bill this week. The child labor bill which passed the Senate with the seventy-one rider for laborers on the House calendar. Some of the labor leaders in the House will attempt to take off the rider. They believe it is a sop to the textile unions and it will hurt the chances of an overtime bill for women.

RUSH ACROSS POND BEGINS VERY EARLY

New York, April 7.—The rush of American travellers for Europe this year is greater than ever. To-day ten big liners sailed fairly crowded. Early in the season as it is, it is now almost impossible to book good accommodations on any of the first class steamers for several months ahead.

Efforts of the railroad passenger agents to divert travel from Europe to the picturesque parts of the United States apparently has not had the slightest effect

YOUNG LADIES WHO ARE ASSISTING IN CATHOLIC BALL, AND COMMITTEEMAN

LADIES AID IN PLANS FOR BALL.

East Boston Catholic Association Arranges Gala Event for April 16.

TO SURPASS AFFAIRS LIKE IT IN THE PAST

The annual ball of the East Boston Catholic Association, which will be held in Lyceum Hall, East Boston, Monday evening, April 16, promises to surpass any other event of a similar nature ever attempted in that section of the city. Arrangements have been started for an elaborate social affair, and the committee in charge has already succeeded in disposing of all the boxes and a large number of tickets.

The East Boston Catholic Association is one of the leading societies of Boston, and its functions are always attended by the younger set with great interest.

In charge of the arrangements are Thomas A. Gilday, chairman of the committee, who will be assisted by William H. Anderson, Charles J. O'Donnell, William S. Saunders, James W. Sheehan, John T. Sullivan, Thomas N. Harrington, Joseph H. Finnerin, John F. Ryan and Peter H. O'Neil.

Among the ladies of the younger set who will assist in the affair are Miss Grace E. Wedger and Miss Ann M. Kelly, both of whom have taken a prominent part in Catholic circles in East Boston.

Among those who will be present at the affair are Mayor John F. Fitzgerald, Chief Clerk of the Boston Police Department William F. Barry, president of the common council, Arthur Lamb, Little, president of William Lyman Municipal Lodge, Knights of Columbus, Thomas A. Mahoney, president of the Catholic Union, Dr. Daniel J. Kelleher, president of the Catholic Temperance Union, James A. Doherty, president of the Catholic Young Men's Institute, and William H. Anderson, financial secretary. William J. Cahoon, treasurer, and a host of ex-presidents. The committee of arrangements is composed of James W. Gallagan, Charles F. Mee, Arthur Learson, Thomas F. Sheehan, Joseph H. A. Feeney, Augustus W. Barry, M. F. McSweeney and Johnson J. Mahoney.

HOSPITAL'S REPORT SHOWS DEFICIT

The annual report of the Massachusetts General Hospital shows a deficit of $23,446.07. This is about $2,000 in excess of the deficit of last year, but in spite of this fact, this year is looked upon as a favorable one, as a considerable part of the expenses was incurred by the construction of new buildings.

The Maverick chapel is completed and work upon the building for women at Waverley has started. The total number of patients treated was 7,881, of this number 3,023 were free. The deaths throughout the year amounted to $407,653.20.

URGES REFORM FOR WOMEN WORKERS

E. A. Filene of Boston Addresses American Academy of Political and Social Science.

EDUCATION SYSTEM SHOULD BE VOCATIONAL

Philadelphia, April 7.—Edward A. Filene, of Boston, spoke at the session of the annual meeting of the American Academy of Political and Social Science at Witherspoon Hall this evening when, in introducing the speaker, he said:

"The speaker is to [illegible] that we [illegible] the [illegible] of the [illegible] giant [illegible] that the [illegible] with the [illegible] and [illegible] educational [illegible] all truths [illegible] Mr. Filene [illegible] of the [illegible] He said in part:

"[illegible] workers [illegible] In the [illegible] of work [illegible] should be [illegible] Franklin [illegible] and [illegible] they [illegible] at the end [illegible] we have [illegible] and [illegible] to [illegible] The new [illegible] through the [illegible] of his best efforts. His fame as a [illegible] of beautiful women and his ability to reach the human heart through his pictures, will be well heeded by the coming series. One picture will be given away every Sunday.

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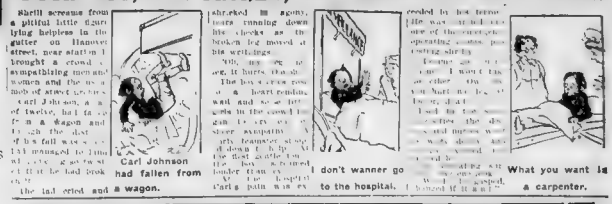
"POOR BOY, LEG BROKEN; TOO BAD!"—IT WAS WOOD



Shrill screams from a pitiful little figure lying helpless in the gutter on Hanover street, near station 1, brought a crowd and a mob of street urchins. Carl Johnson, a boy of twelve, had fallen from a wagon and struck the side of his fall was [illegible] and [illegible] had [illegible] and [illegible] the [illegible] and [illegible] shrieked in agony, tears running down his cheeks as the broken leg moved at its writhings.

"Oh, my leg is sore, it hurts, it hurts."

The boy's cries [illegible] a heart rending wail and soon [illegible] in the crowd began to [illegible] street [illegible] with [illegible] of doom [illegible] the boy seemed louder than ever. At the hospital Carl's pain was [illegible] cooled by [illegible] He was carried into one of the receiving operating rooms [illegible] crying shrilly.

"Please, sir, I don't want to have my leg cut off. I won't [illegible] or either the [illegible] you have to, I'll [illegible] I had to [illegible] I'll [illegible] the [illegible] and [illegible] I [illegible] I [illegible] it [illegible]

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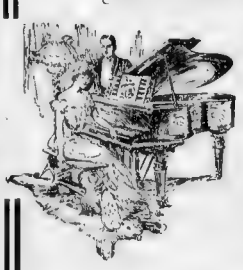

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BOMB FOR FOE OF RUSSIAN LIBERTY.

Governor of Ufa Torn to Pieces as He Rides Through the Principal Street.

UNKNOWN YOUNG MAN CAPTURED BY POLICE

Ufa, Russia, April 7. While the Governor of Ufa, M. Neprimerof, was passing through the principal street of the city today a bomb was thrown into his carriage. The Governor was instantly killed, and his adjutant, who was riding with him, was also killed.

The bomb exploded with terrific force, tearing the Governor's body to pieces. The police arrested a young man who was in the crowd. He refused to give his name, but said that he was a student.

Governor Neprimerof was probably the most disliked official in the Russian Government. He was a stern disciplinarian and had made many enemies.

"I WAS THE BRAINS OF FAMILY," SAYS MRS. COLLIER.

"Willie," at Park Theatre, "Ashamed" to Talk of Wife's Suit for a Division of Property on Long Island

"I picked out his successful plays. I helped him make his money. I was the brains of the family."—What Mrs. Collier says of Willie.

Willie Collier, the actor, is "terribly ashamed" about the suit his wife has brought against him to compel him to sell their $90,000 estate in Great Neck, L. I., and give her half the proceeds, to talk about it at all.

He acted so last night at the Park Theatre at the close of his play, "On The Quiet." Why Mr. Collier is "ashamed," he will not say. His mortification is too deep for utterance.

Mrs. Collier, in her suit, which was begun in Riverhead, L. I., yesterday, has not been so reticent. She declares frankly that she was the brains of the family. She testified to this effect in the hearing before Supreme Court Justice Kelsey in Riverhead L. I. she said.

"I was the brains of the family. Mr. Collier left everything to me. I picked out the successful plays and helped him make them. His trip to London was a flash in the pan because I did not pay attention to business. I had too much to do myself.

"When he said, 'I'm quiet,' Mrs. Collier said, Mr. Collier gave me $300 a week, and out of that I had to pay for my own clothes. I bought upon my pittance and it is a good deal to say that I saved money. I could not have done it if I had not been economical.

"The Colliers kept a retinue of servants, and the social folk who frequented the place used to flock to the house. I was the hostess at these functions. I gave them their meals. I did the cooking. I was the housekeeper. I was the nurse. I was the chambermaid. I was the cook. I was the waitress. I was the scullery maid. I was the dishwasher. I was the laundress. I was the ironer. I was the seamstress. I was the governess. I was the mother. I was the wife. I was the slave.

"Mr. Collier says he gave me $300 a week, and I suppose he did. But I had to give it back to him to pay for the servants and the food and the clothes and the wines and the cigars and the automobiles and the yacht and the horses and the carriages and the stables and the chauffeurs and the coachmen and the grooms and the gardeners and the stable boys and the footmen and the butlers and the maids and the governesses and the nurses and the cooks and the waitresses and the scullery maids and the dishwashers and the laundresses and the ironers and the seamstresses and the governesses and the mothers and the wives and the slaves

ROXBURY COUPLE IN DIVORCE COURT BATTLE

Too Much Club Life, Says Husband; Too Much Politics, Wife's Retort

Prominent Clubwoman and Real Estate Man Take Domestic Troubles to Judge in Effort to Break Tie That is Distasteful to Both.

Mrs. Lucy F. Buffinton of Roxbury, a stately brunette, very stylish, known for her musical talents and said to have had membership in more women's clubs and organizations than any other woman in the city except one, has lodged a cross libel for divorce against her husband, Ernest R. Buffinton, the Roxbury real estate dealer and politician of Ward 21. She alleges cruel and abusive treatment and has been quoted as saying that when position came into their family it never built it up left.

Too Much Club Life.

Mr. Buffinton, who filed his libel under the name of Lewis mentioned the name of a prominent Roxbury man in the bill of complaint. Recently, under a court decree, he has been paying Mrs. Buffinton $4 a week for her support. He has sold his... their domestic troubles again in her belonging to so many... The Buffintons have... periods of peculiarly interesting and dramatic and a public way, ever since [illegible] they have appeared together in entertainments. Mr. Buffinton has played leading parts in the Hub's... theatres and plays, and is now going to [illegible] the last coming season of the Castle Square Stock Co., which is to [illegible] the Hub's Club on May 8... [illegible] Mrs. Buffinton has been a star leader in West Opera House, but now is located at No. 60 Warren avenue.

Says He Abused Her.

One of the principal organizations of which Mrs. Buffinton is a member is the Le Blanc Trio. It is said that of late she has been tending more and more toward public singing, and that Mr. Buffinton objected to it. But when he lodged his divorce libel against her in the Suffolk Superior Court, he based his complaint on harsher things than it.

Mrs. Buffinton declares in her cross libel that Mr. Buffinton treated her cruelly and abused her to the extent of threatening her with a dangerous weapon and causing her... Mrs. Buffinton was formerly Miss Soren of Roxbury.

Her husband says he wants a divorce because she belongs to too many clubs.

MRS. ERNEST RICHMOND BUFFINTON

DUCKS DIVE FOR FISH AND DROWN IN NETS

St. Joseph Mich., April 7.—One of the strangest sights in connection with the local fishing industry is the catching of wild ducks fifty and sixty feet below the surface of the water in the nets of the fishermen.

H. O. Wilson made a phenomenal catch and brought the ducks with him in order to convince the skeptical of the truth of his statements. When his men lifted the nets they found [illegible] ducks. The ducks had been attracted by the fish in the nets and dove far down in the water for them. When they reached the nets they were entangled in the meshes and were drowned.

In cross-libel sh... says that politic... came into the fami... ly and harmony he... came something of... the past.

STOCKS High Money Again Sends Prices Down; Market Dull BONDS

Bank Statement Shows Deficit in Surplus, but List of Losses Is Small--Big Men Holding Aloof from Participation in Deals at Present.

The coal situation, high money rates and an approaching [illegible] serve of the associated banks caused an all pervading spirit of dullness in the New York stock market yesterday.

Pending the announcement of the bank statement traders held aloof. Stocks drooped again under their own weight in a manner to remind one of the deadly period of stagnation which preceded the news of the coal strike. Fractional losses extended throughout the list and were a tightly added to when [illegible] regarding the bank statement were realized. The statement showed a deficit of $2,560,625 below the legal requirements. It had been fully discounted, however, and aside from tending to increase the [illegible] it had little effect.

Market of Many Shades.

It was what might almost be called a week of versatility in both the Boston and the New York stock markets. On Monday there was a brond and active market, and for a while it looked as though a bull movement had started in because of the ending of the suspense regarding the coal strike. Then came alternations of activity and dulness, with spasmodic rallies of prices [illegible] more drooping of the whole list until Friday, and again yesterday, prices [illegible] about their lowest for [illegible] week. There were [illegible] of course, especially [illegible] adding realized [illegible] and the stock list on the whole has finally become rather a poor and dispirited [illegible].

The money situation is having more [illegible] now on the stock market than it has had [illegible] since call rates went to 100 per cent a week [illegible] months ago. The rate for call [illegible] last week naturally [illegible] of the [illegible] The city was [illegible] of the [illegible] the April disbursements [illegible] and interest the aggregate [illegible] has been estimated to be [illegible] before for a quarter. The [illegible] have temporarily [illegible] the New York banks, but [illegible] that follows a rest [illegible] the high money rates are likely [illegible] from Europe is [illegible] These already contracted [illegible] ing of sterling exchange forces [illegible] ably gold imports.

Gold from Europe.

A reduction in the Bank of England rate to 3½ per cent was regarded by bankers as the most significant financial [illegible] has occurred in weeks. It is the first [illegible] statistical indication of a favorable change in [illegible]

Poor Bank Statement.

The [illegible] totally showed [illegible] but the [illegible] caused $7,681, [illegible] the [illegible] above [illegible] with a surplus of [illegible] and [illegible] which [illegible] when the [illegible] to $7,681,625 [illegible] Of the [illegible] the [illegible] [illegible] the [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

MONEY Boston Coppers Strong, But Trading is Slow STOCKS

Professional Traders Keeping Out of Market—Stiff Rates for Money Cause Prices to Soften and Trade to Lag

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will neither admit nor deny that any such plan is in contemplation.

Amalgamated lost 1 point to 111¾ in Boston yesterday. Adventure closed unchanged at 40 bid and asked, at 7:00. Hancock at 42, Copper Range [illegible] to 81. Nevada Consolidated [illegible] to 17¾. North Butte closed [illegible] to 105. Parrot [illegible] to 46¾. Quincy closed [illegible] to 105 and asked. Tamarack closed [illegible] to 167. Trinity [illegible] to 30 and asked. U. S. Mining [illegible] to 46. The cashing of [illegible] dull and irregular.

BOSTON STOCKS.

Following are the highest, lowest and closing prices of yesterday on the Boston Stock Exchange:

BONDS.

	High.	Low.	Close.
Am. Pneu. Tel. 4s			90
Am. Tel. & Tel. 4s			90
Atch., T. & S. F. 4s	101¼	101¼	101¼
Central Pac. 4s	97¼	97¼	97¼
Chi. B. & Q. joint 4s	101¼	101¼	101¼
Chi. & Alton 3½s	87	87	87
Mex. Cent. 4s	75	75	75
N. E. Tel. 5s, 1925	107	107	107

STOCKS.

**Adventure Mining	7	6¾	6¾
Allouez Mining	60	59	60
Amalgamated Copper	113¼	111¾	111¾
Am. Ag. Chem.	40	40	40
Am. Pneumatic Service	20¾	20¾	20¾
Am. Pneu. Service pfd.	44¾	44¾	44¾
Am. Sugar Ref.	134	134	134
Am. Sugar Ref. pfd.	138¾	138¾	138¾
*Am. Woolen	40	40	40
Arcadian Min.	9	9	9
Atch., T. & S. F.	101	101	101
Bingham Min.	40¼	40¼	40¼
Boston Consolidated Mining	20¼	20¼	20¼
Boston Elevated	156	156	156
Boston & Albany	256½	256½	256½
Boston & Maine	194	194	194
Boston & Worcester Electric	9¾	9¾	9¾
Butte & Boston Mining	20	20	20
Butte & Reels Mining	705	705	705
Centennial Mining	20	20	20
Con. & M., class A	189	189	189
Consolidated Mercury Mining	3¾	3¾	3¾
Continental Mining	18	18	18
Copper Mining	4	4	4
Cumberland Tel. & Tel.	138	138	138
Dan-West Min.	13¼	13¼	13¼
Dominion Iron & Steel	47	47	47
Dominion Iron & Steel pfd.	95	95	95
Franklin Mining	10	10	10
Frankl'n Ref. Co.	170	170	170
Georgia Ry. & El.	106	90½	106
Georgia Ry. & El. pfd.	91¼	91¼	91¼
Guanajuato Mining	3	3	3
Isle Royale Mining	28	28	28
Mass. Electric pfd.	67½	67½	67½
Mass. Gas	94	94	94
Mass. Gas pfd.	97½	97½	97½
Mass. Min. pfd.	75	75	75
Michigan Copper	16	16	16
Mohawk Mining	53	53	53
National Mining	3	3	3
Nevada Consolidated Mining	17¾	17¾	17¾
North Butte Mining	105	105	105
N. Y. N. H. & H.	200	200½	200½
Old Colony R.	200	200	200
Osceola Mining	105½	105	105
Parrot Silver & Copper	46	46	46
Pennsylvania	69	69	69
Pullman Palace Car	203½	203½	203½
Quincy Mining	105	105	105
Rhode Island Mining	6¾	6¾	6¾
Santa Fe Mining	6¾	6¾	6¾
Seattle Electric pfd.	100½	100½	100½
Shannon Mining	4	4	4
Swift & Co.	107½	107	107
Tamarack Mining	167	167	167
Tennessee Mining	4¾	4¾	4¾
Trinity Mining	30	30	30
United Fruit Co.	134	134	134
United Fruit Co. pfd.	127½	127½	127½
United Shoe Mach.	47	47	47
United Shoe Mach. pfd.	46¾	46¾	46¾
*United Shoe Machinery pfd.	90½	90	90½
U. S. Rubber	50¾	50¾	50¾
U. S. Rub. Ref. & Min.	61¾	61¾	61¾
U. S. Ref. & Min. pfd.	90	90	90
United States Steel	42¾	42¾	42¾
United States Steel pfd.	107½	107½	107½
Utah Mining	30	30	30
West End	100	86½	100
Western Tel. & Tel. pfd.	100	100	100
Wolverine Mining	183¾	183¾	183¾

**Ex. dividend. *First instalment paid.

POINT TO EUROPE AS LESSON.

By Boston American Leased Wire.

The so-called inside interests that are forcing a higher market expect to use the growing business boom of Europe as an object lesson for the American public. The great public in the United States has been educated on stocks. It lost faith in the leaders just when they began to tell the truth. It threw away its success at panic prices and the Wall Street leaders have grown richer by hundreds of millions as a result.

Call money at thirty per cent has not terrified the big stockholders the past week because they are borrowing but little. Only the traders have been hurt by the money corner. There has been less money borrowed in Wall Street this Spring, when the prices of stock are considered, than ever before. The volume of money in circulation in the United States is the largest per capita in the history of the country. But it has been employed in places where a dollar means nothing but one hundred cents. In Wall Street a dollar means four hundred cents, and the millions that are busy in the West would carry legacies of four times their value in the hands of the professional money handlers of the East.

For this reason the volume credit here per capita, as compared with the volume of circulation per capita, is abnormally small. The big stockholders understand, and the law of finance and high money rates temporarily do not terrify them.

For a decade Europe has been living in constant dread of war and has been hoarding its gold. It has not kept pace with modern improvements, as the United States has done. Now that a war has been suddenly removed, Europe is quivering with industrial activity. Wall Street leaders expect business in Europe to become sensationally active. But even at its best it can never be more than catch up with what has already been done in the United States. The leaders expect that Europe's awakening will make Americans realize their own wealth and bring them into the stock market. It is in anticipation of such a thing that prices are being held so firm.

NEW YORK MARKET.

Following are yesterday's trades on the New York Stock Exchange, together with the high, low and closing prices:

	Sales.	High.	Low.	Close.
43,700	Amalgamated	113¾	110¾	111¾
1,400	Am. Agricultural	42¾	42¾	42¾
800	American Ice Secur	65¾	65¾	65¾
1,000	American Linseed	22¾	22¾	22¾
7,600	Am. Smelting	190¾	186¾	190¾
1,000	Am. Sugar Ref.	134¾	134¾	134¾
100	Am. Woolen	42¾	42¾	42¾
1,000	Anaconda	47¾	47¾	47¾
6,800	Atchison	99¾	98¾	99¾
1,000	Atlantic Coast Line	154	154	154
5,600	Brooklyn R. T.	138	136¾	138
1,000	Chesapeake & Ohio	64¾	64¾	64¾
3,200	Chi. Pacific	172¾	172¾	172¾
500	Con. Leather	45	44¾	45
200	Con. Leather pfd.	93	93	93
1,200	Chic. & Ohio	60	59¾	60
600	Chi. Gt. West.	21¾	21¾	21¾
2,700	Chi. M. & St. P.	173¾	170¾	173¾
200	Chi. Northwest	206	206	206
2,000	Col. Fuel	41¾	40¾	40¾
4,000	Col. Gas	142¾	141¾	142¾
200	Del. & Hudson	218	218	218
200	Del., Lack. & West.	258	258	258
1,700	Erie	45¾	45¾	45¾
400	General Elec.	173	172¾	173
600	Gt. Nor. pfd.	274¾	274¾	274¾
1,100	Ill. Central	152	151	152
1,100	Louisville & Nash.	140¾	139¾	140¾
200	Manhattan	164¾	164¾	164¾
100	Met. St. Ry.	171¾	171¾	171¾
800	Met. Secur.	73¾	73¾	73¾
100	Mexican Central	24¾	24¾	24¾
400	M. K. & T. pfd.	62¾	62¾	62¾
1,000	Nat. Biscuit	45¾	45¾	45¾
2,500	Nat. Lead	84	82¾	83¾
1,500	North. & West.	83¾	82¾	83¾
1,200	Nor. Pacific	209	208¾	209
1,000	N. Y. Central	142¾	142¾	142¾
1,900	N. Y. O. & W.	32¾	32¾	32¾
40,000	Pennsylvania	141¾	141¾	141¾
100	Pressed Steel Car	35¾	35¾	35¾
200	Pressed Steel Car pfd.	89¾	89¾	89¾
81,500	Reading com.	108¾	107	107¾
1,000	Reading 1st pfd.	94¾	94¾	94¾
1,000	Reading 2d pfd.	87¾	87¾	87¾
7,300	Rock Island com.	30¾	30¾	30¾
1,000	Rock Island pfd.	65¾	65¾	65¾
200	Southern Ry. pfd.	103½	103½	103½
300	Texas & Pac.	34¾	34¾	34¾
70,000	Union Pacific	158	156¾	158
500	U. S. Rubber	53	52¾	53
29,100	U. S. Steel	42¾	42¾	42¾
4,900	U. S. Steel pfd.	109¾	107¾	107¾
100	Utah Copper	50¾	50¾	50¾
100	Wisconsin Central	25¾	25¾	25¾

N. Y.—Total sales 308,700 shares.

BONDS.

	Opening.	High.	Low.
Atchison general 4s	94¾	95¼	94¾
American Tobacco 4s	78¾	78¾	78
Atlantic Coast Line 4s	98¾	98¾	98¾
Brooklyn Rapid Trans 4s	80	80	80
Chicago, Burl. & Q. 4s	100¾	100¾	100¾
Colorado Southern 4s	90	90	90
Chicago, Rock Island 4s	90¾	90¾	90¾
Chicago, Rock Island 5s	97¾	97¾	97¾
Chicago Central 5s Ser. A	103½	103½	103½
Denver & Rio Grande 4s	94	94	94
Havana Electric 5s	102	102	102
Japan 4½s	82¾	82¾	82¾
Japan 4½s new conf.	81¾	81¾	81¾
Kansas City Southern 4s	81¾	81¾	81¾
Mexican Central 4s	81½	81½	81½
Pennsylvania conv. 3½s	104¾	104¾	104¾
Pennsylvania gen. 1915	100¾	100¾	100¾
Reading 4s	96¾	96¾	96¾
Rock Island refunding	83	83	83
Southern Pacific 4s	95¾	95¾	95¾
United States 2s reg.	105	105	105
Wabash 4s series B	91	91	91

BOSTON CURB STOCKS.

The following sales were made yesterday on the Exchange place curb:

		High.	Low.
500	Am. Rot. Ring	5¾	5¾
400	Butte Coal	5¼	5¼
700	Rason	3	3
400	Coe	3¾	3¾
25	Mass. Brew.	31	31
100	Magma	2¾	2¾
200	Hancock	81	81
200	Mont. Sup. new	2¾	2¾
200	Mt. Ida	20¼	20¼
300	Mt. Ida Ex. Co	20¼	20¼
1000	Nevada	6	6
1000	Pitts. City	1¾	1¾
100	Quincy	105	105
100	U. S. & P. pfd	44¾	44¾
100	U. S. & P. com	21¾	21¾
200	Wolverine	183¾	183¾
100	Winona	2¾	2¾
200	Aparacia	10¾	10¾
100	Bingham Con.	40¼	40¼
200	U. S. Ants.	11¾	11¾
200	Mitchell	1¾	1¾

A BIG STRIKE!

$500.00 ORE

High grade ore has been opened up that runs about five hundred dollars per ton, on the Jumbo No. 5 Claim of THE MANHATTAN JUMBO MINING COMPANY. Those who are familiar with the Manhattan District know what that means. The making of a permanent shipping mine. This stock is going fast and will advance soon. We advise you to send in your order at once for Treasury Stock of the

MANHATTAN JUMBO MINING COMPANY

AT 20 CTS. PER SHARE

Capital Stock 1,000,000 Shares. Par Value, $1.00, Non-assessable.

400,000 Treasury Shares.

This Company owns outright, without debt, five rich claims: The Jumbo No. 2, No. 3, No. 4, No. 5, and The Marshall, comprising 100 acres of the most promising mineral ground in the heart of the producing section of the Great Manhattan Nevada Mining District. These rich claims are close to the Manhattan Consolidated, Manhattan Red Top, Manhattan Fine Nut, and other rich producers.

The Engineer in charge of development work reports that the ore opened up is the continuation of the wonderful Manhattan Consolidated Ledge, the discovery of which advanced that stock rapidly from 25 cents to $1.25 per share. There is every reason to believe that this stock will do as well.

DO YOU WANT A SAFE INVESTMENT?

one that will make you big profits and is backed by the capital and energy of some of Nevada's most reliable business men? Men who would not be connected with any proposition that was not legitimate? If you do, we advise you to buy now while the stock is low, and we believe that you will have a stock that will go to par in a very short time.

OFFICERS AND DIRECTORS

FRANK GOLDEN, President; also President of the Nye & Ormsby chain of Banks.
FRED G. COX, Secretary, member of the Goldfield Mining Stock Exchange.
HORACE M. DAVENPORT, Treasurer, Prominent Mine Owner and Operator of the State of Idaho
DIRECTORS—J. P. MARSHALL, Cashier Nye & Ormsby County Bank, Goldfield, Nevada;
LOUIS S. FINNEGAN, Capitalist and one of the pioneers of Goldfield;
THOS. S. ROBINSON, Director of the Famous Jumbo Mine of Goldfield and prominent business man

This company is making a shipping mine. They are absolutely prosecuting the most vigorous policy of development of any company in the camp and another big strike may be made any day that will make it impossible to get this stock even at an advance of one hundred per cent. We are confident that the Manhattan Jumbo stock at 20 cents is one of the best buys in the Manhattan District, and offer you this stock with our unqualified endorsement, and advise you to make your reservation at once. We have full confidence in the officers of this company and the value of the property.

WIRE RESERVATION TODAY

at our expense and send remittance by mail. You will have to act quick if you want to get stock at above price, for our allotment is being subscribed for rapidly.

Full particulars, Engineer's Report and Prospectus sent on request.

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MORTON & COX, Fiscal Agents

Members Goldfield Mining Stock Exchange. GOLDFIELD, NEVADA

30% Net Gain in 3 Days

OUGHT TO INTEREST YOU.

This may seem impossible, but I know it is a positive fact. At midnight on Wednesday, April 11th, the stock of the Holcomb Automatic Engine Co., which owns and controls the most wonderful invention of the age, will advance from 30 cents to 40 cents per share (par value $1.00), making a clean profit of over 30 per cent, for those who act within the next three days.

DO NOT DELAY.

This opportunity may mean independence for you and your family the rest of your natural life.

WIRE OR WRITE TO-DAY

For as much of this stock as you can possibly afford to buy. Send your reservation and then investigate. But your letter must be postmarked before midnight (Wednesday) in order to buy this stock at 30 cents.

Leading mechanical engineers throughout the country have personally examined the Holcomb Engine at our factory and have without exception endorsed it as the marvel of the age. I invite the most critical inspection and know that if you could see a demonstration you would not hesitate to join me in this enterprise, especially after you had investigated the standing of the company's officials and became convinced of their honest intentions.

I am not a promoter nor a speculator. I have spent the best years of my life in the development of this Engine, and, aside from my own conviction, I have received the opinion of experts that this invention will revolutionize the engine industry of the world.

Every dollar of my own money and of my friends is invested in this enterprise, and in the small town of Beloit, Wisconsin, where I formerly resided and where I am well known, forty-three of the leading citizens, including the mayor and all public officials, have subscribed and are now stockholders in the the enterprise.

I only ask that you investigate and make the investigation as thorough as possible. If you cannot come to my office yourself, write to any firm of mechanical engineers or to any friend you may have in Chicago to come and investigate for you, and the time to do that is TO-DAY, because you cannot afford to overlook this opportunity. It may make you independent for life. The dividends that this stock should pay and the advance in the price will make your investment double your money within a short time, but you must act AT ONCE, if you want to join me in this enterprise, which is not a speculation, but an industry that promises to make a fortune for its stockholders.

CLIFFORD A. HOLCOMB, M. E., INVENTOR, SEC. AND GEN MANAGER.

THIS IS A 4-HORSE POWER ENGINE.

C. A. HOLCOMB, M. E., INVENTOR.

MANAGEMENT IN CAPE HANDS.

The Holcomb Automatic E[illegible] in the hands of practical business men and mechanics, men who [illegible] capable of doing every detail of the business in a way to make it even large [illegible].

LEWIS INSTITUTE TESTS ENGINE.

These features have made the Holcomb [illegible] Lewis Institute made at the Lewis Institute of Technology [illegible] a thousand revolutions per minute [illegible] without any vibration [illegible] of any way [illegible].

Our high pressure superheating steam generator, containing water tube type, which has developed under the supervision of an expert of years of experience in marine service, will prove to a combination for Auto Trucks and Auto Express Cars, Launches, Tug Boats and Lake Vessels that is not now equaled. It will also solve the problem of suburban railway power.

IT IS A CERTAINTY

that enormous fortunes should be earned by [illegible] who [illegible] in the manufacture of [illegible] such [illegible] engine [illegible] experts and [illegible] and [illegible] and [illegible]

THE NEVADA-COMMONWEALTH MINE NOW HAS

$7,000,000 in Ore Blocked Out!

And every foot of development work opens up more and more Ore, Richer than any we have heretofore discovered. This Mine promises to be the

MINING SENSATION OF THE YEAR 1906

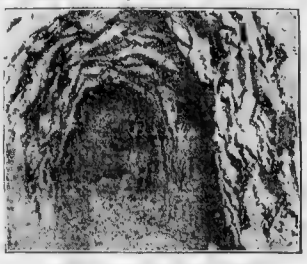
Not another Mine in America today offering its Stock to the Public has so much Ore ready to throw through the mills and thus come back quickly to the Stockholders in Big Dividends--This enormous development has been accomplished only by the expenditure of a fortune.

$160,000.00 Has Been Spent in Developing This Mine

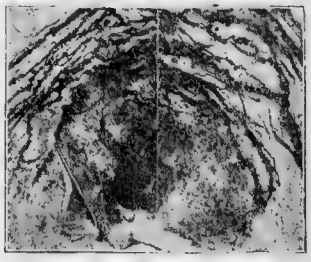
Opening up Over Three Thousand Feet of Tunnels, Drifts and Shafts, every one of which fairly bristles with Rich Ore.

VIEW OF TUNNEL ON FIRST LEVEL.
Present Penetration in Solid Ore, 160 Feet.

VIEW OF TUNNEL ON SECOND LEVEL.
Present Penetration in Solid Ore, 88 Feet.



VIEW OF TUNNEL ON THIRD LEVEL.
Present Penetration in Solid Ore, 175 Feet.



VIEW OF TUNNEL ON FOURTH LEVEL.
Present Penetration in Solid Ore, 135 Feet.

The pictures in this advertisement are actual flashlight photographs showing the enormous true fissure veins of rich ores. Mining expert C. W. Clapp, of Ogden, Utah, a man with thirty years actual mining experience, says: "I find the Nevada-Commonwealth is a true fissure, opened up in porphyry, and is the same character of formation as is the great Virginia-Comstock Mine, located in the same lode, only six miles away, from which has been taken to date

OVER ONE BILLION FIVE HUNDRED MILLION DOLLARS

I firmly believe that by going down two hundred feet farther to the point of permanent saturation, the Nevada-Commonwealth will prove to be a second Virginia-Comstock."

All this big mine now needs in order to begin pouring its great wealth into the pockets of the stockholders is the proper machinery, and for the purpose of purchasing and installing same, and for other expenditures, the company has made a contract with me to sell a limited amount of its treasury stock. You can get in now, after all risk has been eliminated, when your investment is absolutely safe, at a ground-floor price.

Ore Value $66.20 a Ton

I recently spent two days thoroughly investigating the Nevada-Commonwealth Mine and was astonished at its wonderful state of development. There is a tunnel 1115 feet long at the bottom of a 500 foot shaft in the mountain, striking and extending along the ledge 140 feet. The ledge is twelve feet wide where it is cut by the tunnel, and wider at many places. There are four additional levels above the main tunnel. The highest level has a well defined vein thirty-two feet wide, maintaining highest grade values from eighty-five to one hundred feet in distance. The ore is silver-lead, and having knocked down an average lot, I had it assayed, with the result that it showed 40.60 ounces silver and 39.80 per cent lead, with a value of $66.20 a ton. I think it conservative to say that one-third of the thirty-two foot vein will equal this ore assayed and average as much in value. There is undoubtedly enough ore in this mine to work for many lifetimes.

Signed:

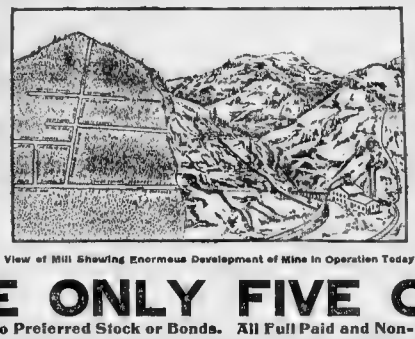
J. B. HAMNER.

J. B. Hamner, of lawful age, being duly sworn, on his oath says the foregoing statement is true.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this third day of February, 1906. My term expires February 13th, 1909.

JNO. E. LATHAM,
(SEAL) Notary Public, Jackson Co., Mo.

Mr. J. B. Hamner is the senior member of the firm of Hamner, Hamner & Calvin, attorneys and counselors at law of Kansas City, Missouri, and has been a resident of this city and one of its leading attorneys for over twenty-seven years.



View of Mill Showing Enormous Development of Mine in Operation Today

Oceans Of Ore

I have recently personally examined the Nevada-Commonwealth Mine, situated near Washoe, between Reno and Carson City, Nevada. I am glad to state that this company has a large mill building erected and has development, in the shape of tunnels and drifts, which must have cost somewhere in the vicinity of one hundred thousand dollars.

There is ample water from which to get power from the same source from which the great Virginia-Comstock Mine secured theirs.

The development has opened up such an enormous body of ore that I can only describe it as oceans of ore. All the property needs is a concentrating plant to pay enormous dividends.

I can certify that, from this personal investigation, I have invested a large sum of money in the stock of the company, and, if every one could have the opportunity of seeing as I have had, they would all do likewise.

Signed:

H. H. HAMMOND.

H. H. Hammond, of lawful age, being duly sworn, says that the foregoing statement is true

Subscribed and sworn to before me this third day of February, 1906. My term expires February 13th, 1909.

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We have letters on file from many banks endorsing Mr. Hammond in highest terms for honesty, uprightness and intelligence. Glad to furnish these references.

PRESENT PRICE ONLY FIVE CENTS A SHARE

Every Share Shares Alike. No Preferred Stock or Bonds. All Full Paid and Non-assessable. Par Value, $1.00.

Cash valuation on this big mine only $500,000. The ore in sight should give you a thousand per cent dividends. If we strike the Comstock lode they will be a hundred times greater. This is not a stock selling scheme but a plain business enterprise with the definite object in view of securing the necessary machinery to pay dividends quickly. Subscriptions for stock will only be received until this result is accomplished. The Company reserves the right to take the stock off the market at any time or to advance the price without notice. If you want in on the ground floor of this great enterprise, act quickly. Write today—or, better still, telegraph, reserving the number of shares you want. **Buy all the Nevada-Commonwealth you can as quick as you can.**

Location of Nevada-Commonwealth Mine.

The Nevada-Commonwealth Mine is located in the greatest mineral lode in the wonderful state of Nevada, surrounded on every side by world-famous mines. The illustration shows the great Virginia-Comstock Mine, located just six miles away, with a shaft sunk over a mile into the earth and the ore maintaining its richness just as great as at the first day of production. From this mine dividends have already been paid to date of over one billion five hundred million dollars. The Great Harris Mine which is a comparatively late acquisition, has been operated by hand and windlass and paid thousands of dollars a year profits even in the use of these crude methods, and has now just contracted for a thirty thousand dollar mill. The Galena Mine, in the opposite direction, just one and one-quarter miles, is shipping today rich valuable ore that they require it to be sacked for protection. The Jumbo Mine, shown in this cut, has received offers that will run into hundreds of thousands for its lease and royalty. The Rock Hill Mine, just three thousand feet east of the Nevada-Commonwealth, has unlimited quantities of two hundred dollar ore.

SKETCH SHOWING RELATIVE LOCATIONS ON THE MOTHER MINERAL LODE

Easy Payment Plan.

$10 BUYS $200 WORTH OF STOCK, PAYABLE $1 DOWN AND $1 A MONTH.

$50 BUYS $1,000 WORTH OF STOCK, PAYABLE $5 DOWN AND $5 A MONTH.

$100 BUYS $2,000 WORTH OF STOCK, PAYABLE $10 DOWN AND $10 A MONTH.

$250 BUYS $5,000 WORTH OF STOCK, PAYABLE $25 DOWN AND $25 A MONTH.

$500 BUYS $10,000 WORTH OF STOCK, PAYABLE $50 DOWN AND $50 A MONTH.

$1,000 BUYS $20,000 WORTH OF STOCK, PAYABLE $100 DOWN AND $100 A MONTH.

No orders received for less than 200 shares. If desired, stock can be deposited with and future payments made to any Kansas City bank or trust company. All first applying for stock and sending ten per cent of the subscription to bind the sale and agreeing to pay the balance ten per cent each month thereafter until paid, can secure stock at five cents a share. Long before you have completed payments, stock should be selling at ten times the price you paid for it and dividends should have been declared.

J. H. MORELAND.

Certificate of Assay for Mr. J. B. Hammer

Sample No.	Description	Gold oz. per ton	Silver oz. per ton	Lead per ct.	Copper per ct.	Zinc per ct.	Iron per ct.	Silica per ct.	Value per ton
1			40.60	39.80				8	66.20

Kansas City, Mo. Jan 31st 1906 J. H. Moreland

The Nevada-Commonwealth Mining & Milling Company agrees to issue a certificate for whatever you have paid, whether it be one, two, three or nine months, should you desire at any time to stop payment.

The officers of the Nevada-Commonwealth are men of wide reputation for honesty and ability. Every safeguard has been thrown about investors in this mine that the most conservative business methods can devise.

ANY PROSPECTIVE STOCKHOLDER CONTEMPLATING EXTENSIVE INVESTMENT WILL BE GLADLY SENT TO THE MINE BY THE COMPANY FREE OF EXPENSE FOR A PERSONAL INVESTIGATION.

I will forfeit One Thousand Dollars to anyone who will prove any of the statements made in this advertisement concerning the Nevada-Commonwealth Mine are not true.

If you want further particulars write at once and all the facts will be sent by return mail.

The Nevada-Commonwealth Mining & Milling Company

I. W. DUMM, Fiscal Agent

Suite 244 Shukert Building, Kansas City, Mo.

We refer by permission to Hamner, Hamner & Calvin, Attorneys, 445, 449 Sheidley Building, Kansas City, Missouri.

TEAR OFF HERE AND MAIL

The Nevada Commonwealth Mining & Milling Co.
41 Shukert Building,
Kansas City, Mo.

Gentlemen: Please send me full particulars concerning the Nevada-Commonwealth Mine.

NAME.....

ADDRESS.....

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OPERATORS TO ARBITRATE ON WAGE SCALE?

Anthracite M... to Be ...

BAER Ta... FO...

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Mitchell's Statement.

President Mitchell of the Mine Workers ... to-day was asked to ... consistency in ... duration of the union ... operators and ... similar demand ... Illinois operators.

"I have not said that ... arbitration, which ... said Mr Mitchell ... quest for arbitration ... up to the ... power in the ... to accede to ... "But you have ... matter," Mr Mi... are known to the ... your position in ... Winder a request ...

"I have no right to ... commendations ... was the way Mr ...

Miners' Loss, $1,500,000.

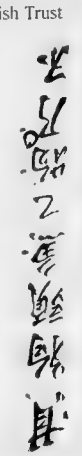
It was stated ... week's suspension ... cost the miners $1,500,000 ... the operators ... condition which ... continued Mr Wheelwright, ... are fifty cents a ton ... which amounts to ... In consequence, the ... ally made a large ... while the mines have ... half.

Up to the present there has been no serious outbreak ... authorities of ... is looked for. ... the instructions of ... remaining for the ... their homes

SENDS PLAINT TO SIR CHEN-TUNG

Canned Dog-Fish for Chinese? No!

Waltham Celestial Would Guard His Kinsmen in the Flowery Kingdom from Design of Fish Trust



... article in the Boston AMERICAN, calling atten... that canned white perch ... Chinese. The ... Chinese Minister ... at Washington, Sir ... Liang Cheng, ... Asks Stop to Use ... Waltham, to beg ... to stop the ... Chinese ... Chinese ... Chinese

KEITH'S

WEEK OF APRIL 9, 1906

Doors Open at 1:30 P. M. Performance Continuous Until 10:30 P. M.

Positively Last Week of the Most Sensational Entertainer the World Has Ever Seen,

HOUDINI

The Weird, Mysterious, Inexplicable Magician. His Program for the Coming Week Includes the Hindoo Needle Trick, which Completely Mystified the Scientific Men of New England, Rope Tying Contests and His Famous Trunk Mystery

HARRY GILFOIL

The Popular Musical Comedy Star, in His Famous Character Study of Baron Sands.

Herzog-Camaras — Foreign Female Novelty Head and Hand Balancers

Melani Trio — Italian Street Singers and Musicians

Byron and Langdon — In a Screamingly Funny Comedy and Singing Skit.

Asra — European Novelty Rolling Ball Manipulator.

McMahon & Chapelle — In Their Comedy Skit "Twenty Minutes Before Train Time."

Ferguson & Watson — Mirth provoking Conversational Comedians.

Ben Beyer — Singing Comedian.

The Tanakas — Japanese Top Spinners and Jugglers.

Arnot and Gunn — In a Pleasing Comedy Sketch.

Lily Seville — English Character Comedienne.

And the Biggest Minstrel Novelty in vaudeville, McMahon's

MINSTREL MAIDS

And Watermelon Girls. The Best Specialty of the Kind in the Varieties.

The Kinetograph — Showing an Entire New List of Comedy and Tragedy Motion Pictures, and the Biggest Bill of Motion Pictures in Two Years. A Local Favorite Dream. Don't Miss It.

Prices 25c, 35c, 50c — Front Orchestra, 75c.

Reserved Seats — In Boxes at 1 Front Row, First Balcony and Second Two Weeks Ahead.

The Henry F. Miller Piano.

The EARL AND The GIRL

MAJESTIC

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SAM. S. and LEE SHUBERT, Inc. OFFER The Merry English Musical Whirl

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NOVELTIES GALORE — STUNNING GOWNS — PRETTY GIRLS

150 LAUGHS — 22 SONG HITS

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ALL STAR CONCERT TONIGHT

BEST CONCERT IN TOWN

Tom Nawn and Company — Original One Act Comedy, "A Touch of Nature."

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The Famous Reiff Bros. — Artistic Novelty Dancing in Wooden Shoes.

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THE OTTO BROTHERS — Popular German Singing Comedians

SPECIAL FEATURE — FITZGIBBON, McCOY and FITZGIBBON — A Mischievous Brother.

Majestiscope — All New Views

1000 Seats 25c

BOSTON THEATRE

LAWRENCE McCARTY - Lessee and Manager

LAST WEEK

DON'T WAIT! GET YOUR TICKETS NOW

DON'T GET LEFT AS HUNDREDS DID LAST WEEK

THE GREAT COMEDY SUCCESS OF TWO SEASONS

MRS. WIGGS

OF THE

CABBAGE PATCH

THE BRIGHTEST AND BEST PLAY IN TOWN

BRING ALL THE BOYS AND GIRLS TO THE

MATINEES

WEDNESDAY AND SATURDAY

NEXT MONDAY, APRIL 16

WELCOME HOME TO THE EMINENT COMEDIAN

Andrew Mack

Direct from His Triumphant Tour of Australia

Presenting the Success of Two Continents

THE WAY TO KENMARE

EXTRA MAINLE PATRIOTS' DAY THURSDAY, APRIL 19

TICKETS ON SALE TOMORROW

AT THE OLD HOWARD THIS WEEK

KITTY BINGHAM'S

ON TOP

FOUR BARD BROTHERS

MAY DURYEA AND W. A. MORTIMER

"SANDY" CHAPMAN

FRED RAY AND COMPANY

HOWARD AND HOWARD

KITTY BINGHAM

WILLY NORRIS CORINNE

THE BURKES

MAUDE De LORA

MEYER and MASON

MAC and MAC

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TREMONT THEATRE

Curtain..... 8 Sharp
Carriages..... 10:30

TWO WEEKS ONLY BEGINNING — TOMORROW NIGHT

Matinees Wednesdays and Saturdays

LIMITED CO-STAR ENGAGEMENT

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DIRECT FROM A SEASON OF OVER SIX MONTHS AT THE SAVOY THEATRE, NEW YORK, IN ALFRED SUTRO'S BEST PLAY

THE WALLS OF JERICHO

NOW IN ITS SECOND YEAR IN LONDON

Seats Ready for SPECIAL MATINEE, PATRIOTS' DAY, APRIL 19

BEGINNING MONDAY, APR. 23, TWO WEEKS ONLY

HARRISON GREY FISKE Introduces

BERTHA KALICH

In Maeterlinck's Masterpiece

MONNA VANNA

SEATS READY APRIL 16—MAIL ORDERS NOW RECEIVED

GLOBE

Nights Best Seats 25-50-75 Rest Higher

25c MATINEES MONDAY Wednesday and Saturday (Just a Few Front Seats 50c.)

ONE WEEK—Beginning with MATINEE (TOMORROW) Monday

W. B. LAWRENCE Presents

The American Comedy Drama of Western Life

BEHIND THE MASK

AN INTERESTING DRAMATIC STORY

COMEDY SCENES IN AUTHOR'S BEST VEIN

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With GREAT CAST and SCENIC FEATURES

A MOONLIGHT VIEW OF THE CELEBRATED "GEORGETOWN LOOP" on the Colorado-Midland R.R. ONE OF THE MOST PICTURESQUE SCENES EVER STAGED

Monday Mat., Apr. 16 — A ROMANCE OF THE SOUTHERN PLAINS "TEXAS" Seats on Sale Tomorrow

TO-NIGHT GRAND CONCERT Benefit Kingston Dispensary 25-50 Ticket Office Open Sun. 2 P. M. Just a Few at 75c

TO-NIGHT THE BIG, HAPPY LAUGHING SHOW

TOM NAWN & CO. In the One-Act Comedy "A TOUCH OF NATURE"—Comedy and Pathos

JAMES RICHMOND GLENROY The Man With the Green Gloves

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The Globoscope featuring the Lost Collar Button, Very Funny

COLONIAL THEATRE

CHARLES FROHMAN, RICH & HARRIS..... Lessees and Managers

THREE WEEKS — BEGINNING TOMORROW NIGHT AT 8 KLAW & ERLANGER Present

GEO. M. COHAN'S Musical Play

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For Dramatic News and Notes See Pages 26 and 28

HENRY SIEGEL CO.

We are not only inviting you to attend a series of Easter sales in the largest and finest store in New England, but we are urging you to come whether you have anything to buy or not. Our interior decorations and the embellishment of our windows are beautiful and we know that you will enjoy seeing them. The Store is radiant with touches of spring color and all merchandise is sparkling and new. It is certain that no store in Boston has ever done so much in the way of assembling representative styles. You are now abreast of New York in the matter of fashion.

Novel Pique Kid Gloves

$2.00 Regularly — Monday at $1.50

Women's Novel Pique Kid Gloves in one large pearl clasp and imitation button with [illegible] to the lines of the hand, prevent[illegible] and [illegible]. A limited quantity Monday, per pair, $1.50.

$2.50 — 16-Button French Kid White Gloves. Scarce elsewhere at $2.50. Monday, a pair $2.50

Misses' and Children's Pique Kid Gloves. "Just like Papa's." Sizes 1 year to 6. Per pair, $1.00

Infants' and Children's Pique Kid Gloves. "Just like Papa's." Sizes 1 year to 6. Per pair, $1.00

The best $1.00 [illegible] $1.00

(Main Floor, Essex Street Side)

Trimming Embroideries

Several hundred pieces of fine cambric and nainsook skirtings, insertions and trimming embroideries, in both blind and eyelet work. Cut from the piece in any length desired. Not remnants or sample lengths, but full pieces fresh from the other side, consequently this sale affords the best values we have ever offered. Compare the goods with those offered in other stores at a third more. Monday at 10c, 19c and 29c a yard.

10c — 19c

50c Corset Cover Embroideries, 29c. 75c to $1 Embroidered Flouncings, Waist Bandings and Allover Embroideries, all day Monday, per yard, 29c.

Dress flouncings, including the season's novelties, 18 to 27 inches wide, per yard, 59¢, 69¢, 95¢, $1.45.

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Newest Style in Women's Low Shoes

$3.00 Toga Ties at $1.95

Toga Ties—the newest style low shoe for women just now being introduced in Boston at a popular price that will now [illegible] offer our usual and potent [illegible] these Toga Ties are plain toe pieces with tips [illegible] and [illegible] Cuban heels. [illegible] these ties are the newest Lots of [illegible] the very best leathers [illegible] and medium Cuban heels and large [illegible] Monday, per pair, $1.95.

Men's $18 Suits at $10.50

One [illegible] and every garment fresh and new. They are cut [illegible] the most wanted fabrics. Coats are [illegible] fore, breast, athletic and [illegible] Instead of [illegible] $10.50

We [illegible] Coat which, for style and excellence [illegible] to anything you [illegible] at the same [illegible] other prices. There [illegible] $11.00

Bargains for the Boys

Boys' Reefers and Suits [illegible] most approved styles; sizes from 3 [illegible] to 19. Suits [illegible] with knickerbocker trousers, double breasted [illegible] with belt [illegible] Russian Blouse suits, Russian [illegible] Reefers. In cloths there are Kerseys, [illegible] Cheviots. Your choice at [illegible] $3.45

(Third Floor, Essex Street Side)

Easter Suits at End of Season Prices

Without exaggeration we have assembled the greatest assortment of Tailor-Made Suits ever exhibited in Boston, and other stores will be apologizing for their high prices when they read the figures we have marked on the tickets. For instance:

Women's Suits of the very finest quality of Chiffon Panama, made with Eton jacket, trimmed with silk military braid, new 3-4 sleeves and the popular Princess and semi-Princess Skirts. This suit has the appearance in every respect of a much more expensive costume. Special for this sale only at

$18.75

Six models in Eton and Sack Coat Suits, made of plain and fancy materials, with new circular pleated skirts. This is an assortment of suits that cannot be duplicated in Boston anywhere near our Monday price of $25.00

Chiffon Panama Suits, with the new semi-Princess Skirt and short Eton Coat, trimmed with silk braids to match. The skirt is also trimmed with braid. All colors. Monday at $29.75

Princess Suit, made of chiffon panama, with the new coat trimmed with taffeta silk braid and buttons, [illegible] High bodice, box pleated skirt. Special Monday at $34.75

Bolero Eton Suits, made of a combination of taffeta and chiffon panama, with hand-painted coat and skirt. Reproduced from a French model. Monday at $47.50

(Second Floor, Essex Street Side)

10,000 Yards of Wash Goods

Sold all over the country at 50 cents a yard. Read the list, and then you will be amazed at our low price of 29¢ a yard.

Silk Muslins, woven figure designs, fine color line. Worth 50c per yard, at 29c.

Printed Silk Muslins, white grounds, beautiful printed designs. Worth 39c per yard, at 29c.

Tussah Pongee, in natural or champagne shades, half silk, very lustrous. Worth 50c per yard, 29c.

Mercerized Poplins that resemble woolen fabrics, light colorings, very lustrous. Worth 39c per yard, 29c.

Silk Eolienne, half silk. A beautiful sheer fabric, suitable for evening wear. Value 50c per yard, 29c.

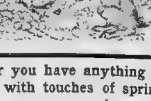
29c

19c Henley Serge at 15c

The season's newest wash fabric, in the grey suiting effects. An all-cotton material, resembling wool. 1200 yards at 15c per yard.

(Main Floor, Hayward Pl. Side)

New Hook Belts at 50c Each



Princess effect belts made of an extra fine quality of lamb skin in white, gray, black, navy blue, and all the new spring shades with French gilt and double snap hook. This belt is the latest craze in New York and in Boston will be found only in our belt department at 50¢.

(Main Floor, Essex Street Side)

Knit Vests

Women's shaped vests, light weight, long or short sleeves, high neck, nicely trimmed, umbrella drawers to match, each 25c.

Women's Swiss ribbed vests, low neck, no sleeves, silk trimmed, value 50c, at 25c.

Women's silk lisle vests, low neck, no sleeves, nicely trimmed, value 75c. Special, each 50c.

(Main Floor, Essex Street Side)

Women's Hose

Women's Fancy Lisle Hose, [illegible] Thread Hose [illegible] Lisle, sole and [illegible] Value 25c, a pair 19c.

Women's Fancy Lisle Thread Hose, [illegible] all over [illegible] Ankle [illegible] with neat Maco [illegible] Hose [illegible] Black, [illegible] and [illegible] Value 35c. Monday 25c.

(Main Floor, Essex Street Side)

Waists for Easter

We won't have to argue the waist question in order to convince you what to wear for Easter—not after you have been through our waist section and noted these striking creations. Read about them and then step in and see them.

1.25 — New lawn waist, with square Dutch neck, trimmed with embroidery and valenciennes lace, front and back to match, new demi ¾ sleeve. Special at $1.25 — **1.25**

Persian lawn waist, very fine quality, trimmed with panel of embroidery down the center of waist, set in with beading and clusters of tucks, baby back, new Siegel ¾ sleeve. Monday at $1.50

Fine lawn waist, empire effect front, giving the effect of feather stitching and facetting, shoulders, collar and cuffs set in with beading. This is one of the daintiest waists we have shown. Special Monday at $2.25

Foreign batiste waist, with entire front of hand-made insertion, over which [illegible] valenciennes insertion, sleeve. Monday $2.95

All-over valenciennes lace waist, over which [illegible] front trimmed with insertion and [illegible] lace. ¾ sleeve. Monday $5.00

Lingerie waist of [illegible] batiste, front of hand-made tucks and baby [illegible] with vest effect of [illegible] valenciennes lace, yoke and sleeves trimmed to match, front, button back. This is the handsomest waist we have ever shown at the price. Monday $7.50

(Second Floor, Hayward Place Side)

Jauntiest Easter Millinery in Boston

Crisp—fresh—new—beautiful—rich—becoming—and possessing all the other attributes of high-class millinery is not over-praise for the trimmed hats from Paris, New York and our own workrooms. It won't be a waste of time to see what we have.

As especially attractive line of hats, made in the most up-to-date and original styles, perfect workmanship and that individual style found only in the higher priced hats outside of this store, for our Easter sale, $5 and $7.50.

$5 — $7.50

$100 *Trimmed Hats, copied from $25 to $35 French models, at* $12.50.

Tailor-made jaunty Sailors and Turbans, neatly trimmed, at $1.95, $2.45, $2.95, $3.95 up to $7.50.

A collection of children's trimmed hats that are bound to become very popular, at $3.45, $5.00, $7.50, $10.00.

Trimmings for Home Milliners

1500 pieces of Paris dyed chip braid, 15 yards to a piece. Per piece 29¢.

[illegible] pieces Tedda braid. Paris dyed, at [illegible] and 75c. Value $1.25. Monday, per piece 75c.

50 dozen Cuban body hats. Value 50c Special 25c.

Soft crushed roses, 6 in a bunch, pink, white, Alice and light blue, smoke and other [illegible] Value 50c, per bunch. Monday 25c.

25 dozen American Beauty roses; two to a bunch with foliage, Jacques and [illegible] only. Value, 50c, a bunch. Monday, 38c.

50 dozen full blush roses, 3 in a bunch; pink, Alice and light blue, grey, brown and two tone pastel shadings. Value, per bunch, 45c. Special for this sale, at 29c.

25 dozen bunches of forget-me-nots, with foliage. 250 value. Monday, a bunch 19¢.

50 dozen bunches Jana roses; pink, turquoise, Alice and light blue and white. Value, 35c, a bunch. Monday 19¢.

50 dozen Mallard Duck wings, all colors, 35c.

50 dozen bunches of tiny, soft roses, in pink and rose, white, maroon, turquoise, cream, etc. Value 50c. Special at 25¢.

25 dozen fancy wings and Coques, for stiff hats; white, black and light blue, etc. Value, 50c. Monday, 25¢.

(Second Floor, Hayward Place Side)

Infants' Wear

Children's Lingerie Coats, made of white French mull, lined with China silk, pleated back with lace insertion, deep collar of mull and fine valenciennes lace, applique medallions and pearl buttons, value $12.50, at $8.98.

(2d Floor, Hayward Pl. Side)

Handkerchiefs

Scallop Embroidered and Hemstitched Embroidered Handkerchiefs in very dainty designs, also, lace trimmed Handkerchiefs and Fancy Linen Handkerchiefs with colored borders, each 25c.

Women's Pure Irish Linen Initial Handkerchiefs, hand made, embroidered with wreath, the kind that sells for 12½c, Monday at 7½¢.

One lot of 500 dozen plain Hemstitched Irish Linen Handkerchiefs for men and women, including the best qualities, with all widths hemstitching. Sheer, medium and regular standard weight, some slightly imperfect, value from 25c to 37½c each, Monday, at 12½¢.

(Main Floor, Hayward Pl. Side)

Household Utilities

Thousands of articles on sale at reduced prices not mentioned in our advertising. A bargain at every step while you are in this great department.

Climax Meat Choppers

Climax Meat Chopper chops all raw and cooked meats and all kinds of vegetables and fruit into clean cut, uniform pieces. Fine or coarse, as desired, without mashing or squeezing. It does away with the old-fashioned chopping bowl and knife. Five different size cutters with each chopper. Value $1.00; special 69c

Galvanized Iron Ash Cans — Full size, 17 x 24 inches. Usually $1.50. Monday at 89c.

Sheet iron oil or gas stove ovens. Regular value $1.00. Monday, 79¢.

Oil cooking stoves, 4 burners, with 4 inch wicks. Special at $1.25.

Gas stoves; 3 burner, nickel plated. Sells regularly for $2.50. Monday, at $1.98.

(Basement)

Oval Willow Clothes Basket—$1 kind for 49c.

Foot Stools — Weathered oak finish. Special at 15c.

50c gray enamel ware dish pan, 14 quart size; for Monday only, at 25c.

Groceries in Boston's Biggest and Best Grocery

LAUNDRY [illegible] Ammonia, [illegible] Soap, [illegible] Starch, [illegible] Soap, [illegible] Soap, [illegible] Soap

PART II.
MAIN SHEET.

HEARST'S
BOSTON AMERICAN
THE TWENTIETH CENTURY NEWSPAPER

BOSTON, SUNDAY, APRIL 8, 1906.

Last Chance to Win a Season Pass for the Ball Games.

Cambridge Wins the Annual Boat Race from Oxford.

See Sporting Pages.

COAL TRUST DEFIES STATE.

License Suspended, but Still Sells Anthracite at $8 Price.

CLAIM PRIVILEGE AS APPEAL IS "PENDING"

Although Secretary of the Common wealth Olin, who heard the evidence of extortion presented by the BOSTON AMERICAN to show that the Metropolitan Coal Company, better known as the Boston Coal Trust, has suspended the license of that company, the Trust is continuing to sell coal. It defied the order of the secretary yesterday, claiming that it has the right to continue to do business until the Superior Court has passed upon the case. Coal was sold at all the offices of the company, at the same extortionate rate of $8 a ton—the same coal that was previously sold for the regular winter rate.

The officials of the Trust were in a state of panic yesterday. Attempts to locate the more important ones were unsuccessful. It was said that President Hemenway was out of town. While keeping carefully away from newspaper reporters, no official held serious and prolonged conferences with their attorneys, and were to secure a method of escape from the judgment of the tribunal before which they were tried.

The law under which Secretary Olin took away the Trust's license to sell coal specifies that dealers may continue to sell "pending the decision upon an appeal." The lawyers for the Trust say that this means that they can sell until they have appealed and the case has been decided. Some of the officials have gone so far as to say that they can take their time about filing an appeal, and that they need never do so if they do not wish to. It is the general interpretation of the law, however, that, once having filed an appeal, it may be regarded as "pending," within the meaning of the statute, and that until an appeal is entered it cannot be "pending."

It is earnestly believed, however, that an appeal will be entered to-morrow.

Trust Is Staggered.

No decision ever given in Massachusetts in regard to the legal standing of a Trust has ever caused such consternation as this judgment of Secretary Olin. The Coal Trust did not expect it. Its attitude at the hearing when Attorney Allen, representing the Metropolitan Coal Company, declared that the merger in no way did nor injure the poor, and simply refused to seriously argue the question proved believed that it regarded the penalty as usually follows an attempt to win a case against a great corporation under existing laws in such cases of the corporation are left to have had a hand.

Never in the history of Massachusetts has a body of citizens been so helpless as the people of this city are to-day. Coal is a necessity of life. Without it the poor must freeze. Without it the rich must suffer. Without it the wheels of industry must stop. Without it the railroads must cease to run. Without it the factories must close down. Without it the people must suffer. Without it the people must die.

Yet the Coal Trust has the power to do all these things. It has the power to make the people suffer. It has the power to make the people die. It has the power to make the people starve. It has the power to make the people freeze. It has the power to make the people suffer. It has the power to make the people die.

Trust Is Helpless.

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100,000 SIGN PLEA TO SAVE TUCKER FROM THE CHAIR

Enormous Crowds Flock to Headquarters to Aid in Fight for Condemned.

As was predicted early in the week, the monster petition for the commutation of the death sentence imposed upon Gabriel L. Tucker for the murder of Mabel Page has received more than 100,000 signatures. The press in the petition headquarters in Tower Hill Building has been at high speed yesterday than on any previous day. Men and women thronged the office all day long, and while afternoon many names to the petition [illegible] the relief [illegible]

Interest of the [illegible]

Dickey Davis [illegible] A Medford lawyer [illegible] BOSTON SUNDAY ADVERTISER [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

ROME JESUIT PRIEST STRICKEN DOWN WITH CANCER AND CANNOT LIVE **LONDON** LADY GORDEN-LENNON'S ENGAGEMENT REGARDED AS COUP OF SEASON IN SOCIETY **GENEVA**

JESUIT PRIEST DYING FROM CANCER.

Father Martin, General of the Order, Lost His Right Arm From Same Cause.

OPPOSED TO CATHOLIC CHURCH IN AMERICA

Special Cable to the Boston Sunday American.

Rome, April 7.—Father Louis Martin, general of the order of the Jesuits, whose right arm was amputated in April, 1905, for cancer, is in a very serious condition, and is sinking fast. A cancer having appeared in his breast.

Father Martin is a Spanish theologian, was born [illegible] 1846. He entered the Jesuit no[illegible] years, and rose [illegible] tion. In 1892 he was made rector of the University of [illegible] later became provincial of [illegible] Castile. He was rector of the [illegible] the general, Pere Anderledy, designated him to govern the order during the period following its death, which occurred in July, 1903.

When the fifteen assembled, in September of that year to [illegible] chief of the order. He was [illegible] Americanists of the Catholic Church in the United States, and whose [illegible] was sued by [illegible] an order [illegible] services in [illegible] the subsidies [illegible] movement. He admitted his opposition to the attitude of certain American prelates, but denied that he stated anything to the editor, who was non-plussed. After he lost his arm the Pope, by special [illegible], granted him the privilege of continuing to say mass.

HUNGARY SEES NEW HOPE OF FREEDOM.

Appointment of Son of Leader Kossuth to New Cabinet Significant Act.

REGARDED AS A STEP TOWARD SEPARATION

Special Cable to the Boston Sunday American.

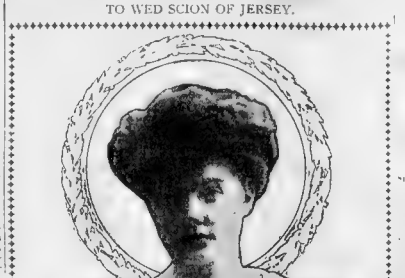
Vienna, April 7.—It was officially announced this afternoon that the new Hungarian Cabinet, which was formed yesterday with Herr Alexander Wekerle as Premier, will also include Herr Kossuth, a son of the coalition leader; Count Agrassy, Count Andrassy, Count Apponyi and Alexander. Although the Hungarians have post-

poned their military demands, the appointment of the son of Louis Kossuth is regarded by them as a step toward the separation of Hungary and Austria.

The significant reforms the two countries for a new ministry were carried on at the Hotel Bristol, where numerous Americans were guests. The Americans used their lunches and made several snapshots of Premier Wekerle when whenever the opportunity presented itself.

AMERICAN SET STIRRED BY TROTH OF LONDON BEUATY

FAIR DAUGHTER OF THE HOUSE OF ROSSLYN WHO IS TO WED SCION OF JERSEY.



Engagement of Lady Ivy Gordon-Lennox to Heir of Earl of Jersey Regarded as Season's Social Coup.

Special Cable to the Boston Sunday American.

London, April 7. The American set in London is particularly interested in the latest London engagement, that of Lady Ivy Gordon-Lennox to Viscount Villiers, on account of the wide American acquaintance possessed by Lady Ivy's parents, Lord and Lady Algernon Gordon Lennox. Lady "Algy," as she is familiarly called by her socia. cronies, is an especial favorite with the smart set. She is called the best dressed woman in London, and her social tact and talents have descended in no stinted measure on her pretty and only child.

This engagement of her daughter to the heir of the Earl of Jersey is considered quite a social coup for Lady "Algy," and congratulations are being showered on the Viscount, Lady "Algy" and Lady Ivy alike.

Our American cousins will remember the social triumphs achieved by Lord and Lady Gordon Lennox on their trip to America four years ago when they were guests of prominent society people.

Lady "Algy" was praised unstintedly for her patrician beauty, her grace and her truly aristocratic bearing. These gifts, she also inherited from her mother, the Dowager Countess of Rosslyn, have descended on her daughter, who was one of the fairest debutantes of the last London season.

Lady Ivy's betrothed is George Henry Robert Child, Viscount Villiers, eldest son of the Earl and Countess of Jersey. As the heir presumptive he will succeed to the earldom, and Lady Ivy is the future Countess of Jersey.

Viscount Villiers's father, the present Earl of Jersey, is the seventh of that title. He has a real roll of £50,000 a year and a large share in the big banking house of Child & Co., which is one of the family assets. The family seats include the stately Osterly Park at Isleworth and Middleton Park at Bicester.

KAISER SNUBS CZAR IN LOAN REFUSAL.

[illegible] of Germany to Make Market Recommendation Is Resented.

BELIEVED TO BE DUE TO ALGECIRAS TANGLE

Special Cable to the Boston Sunday American.

[illegible] April 7.—All the European capitals [illegible] official announcement [illegible] that the Kaiser's government [illegible] Russian loan [illegible]

[illegible] leading correspondent of the [illegible] situation of which [illegible] a direction in quite [illegible] sanguine [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

SPRING BOOM IN REAL ESTATE CONTINUES

Transactions Brisk, Not Only in City Property, but in the Outlying Country.

CULVER FARM, GROTON, SOLD TO BOSTON MAN

Spring trade in the real estate market continues to maintain the activity which began some three weeks ago. Business is fairly well distributed, but the city proper has perhaps not had its full share during the past week. In the suburbs and country, however, transactions have been brisk. A number of large sales were consummated during the week.

An interesting farm sale was that of the Culver farm, situated in Groton on what is known as Pleasure Row, on the main thoroughfare leading from Ayer to Groton. It is in close proximity to the famous Groton school. It is one of the old-time Middlesex farms which the people of Groton boast, and contains seventy-five acres of land, in a high state of cultivation, a large orchard and a typical old New England house. The property has been purchased by one of Boston's wealthiest men, who will occupy it as a summer home, after making extensive improvements. The sale was made through the Edward T. Harrington Company.

The Edward T. Harrington Company reports that final papers have been passed for the sale of the John Scott estate in West Newton. The property consists of a ten-room house, stable, three large greenhouses, and three acres of land with large peach and pear orchards. The purchaser, Mrs. Lizzie K. Stone of Allston, will occupy after making extensive alterations and repairs. The whole is assessed on a valuation of $8,500. This office also reports that deeds have gone to record covering the estate No. 15 Hartford street, Whitinsville, to Sir George L. Van Deursen of Lowell. The property was owned by the Columbia Trust Company of East Boston, and comprises a modern two-family house of fourteen rooms, together with 5,000 square feet of land; assessed for $5,400. The purchaser paid cash and will occupy for a home.

At Arlington Heights.

Through the same office the double house, No. 10 Wollaston avenue, Arlington Heights, together with 5,000 square feet of land, has been sold for Emma L. Hall, to a party who buys for occupancy. The house was built three years ago and is one of the most attractive places which this part of Arlington boasts. The price paid was $5,100.

Edward T. Harrington Company reports that contracts have been awarded for the office for the new for Mary E. Canavan of the city. No. 11 De Marie avenue, Everett, consisting of a modern two-family house of twelve rooms, one room upstairs, 5,000 feet of land. It is classed both for investment.

D. F. Lovell has negotiated the sale for Mrs. Christina Jorgensen of a seven-room one-and-a-half-story cottage on Hall street, Somerville, called Naparville. There are an attractive house, a large barn and several honneries, and a tract of brick which forms the boundary. A lot of cattle and all other personal property were included in the deal. This is one of the first farms sold in Somerville since it was set off from Medford.

The same agent also has sold for Edward F. Johnson an estate upon Leland avenue, Oakland to Clarence H. Pike of the Pike-Rood-Mumford Works. There are nearly 7,000 square feet of land in the eight-room house and stable in the deed.

Sale in Claremont Park.

In the North End Henry W. Savage reports the sale for Abbie F. Wood of her three-story brick dwelling No. 20 Clement park, assessed on 2,000 at which $2,800 is paid, or 872 feet of land in the estate. Frederick Rein the purchaser, buys for investment.

W. O. Whitten has sold through the E. G. Beadlam Company to Indiana Avenue Realty Co. the entire estate situated in Rockingham County. It comprises thirty acres of cleared land, a large modern house, barns and various other outbuildings commanding a magnificent mountain view from the Whitmanian Mountains to the Atlantic ocean. The terms of the sale are private. The selling price was $7,500. The same firm has also sold for Mrs. Ada M. Marsh of Barre, her ten-acre farm located in the eastern part of Barre on the Hardscrabble road with a set of farm buildings and a lot of standing timber. The present owner buys for investment on private terms, and will erect a lumber and planing plant, and will build extensive country houses. The buyer's name is not made public. Mr. Loudon has also sold for the owner, Chauncey Nash, the finely arranged stock and fruit farm in the south-eastern part of Westminster, on the Princeton road. The buyer, Oliver K. Upham of Somerville, who will occupy the property, will make extensive improvements. The price paid is not made public.

Lawyer to Build Fine House.

Edward T. Harrington Company has sold for the Boston Co-operative Bank a lot of land, corner Oxford and Warren streets, Wakefield, containing about 10,000 square feet, to a well-known Boston lawyer, who will erect the con. for his own occupancy, a handsome house. This is one of the few remaining lots in this most exclusive section. The same firm has sold for Edward J. Pierce of Boston the estate No. 10 Berwick street, Winthrop, known as "The Hanson," comprising a cottage of nine rooms, together with 3,400 square feet of land, located on Cottage Hill, near the Revere station. The purchaser, Mrs. Adeline Billings of Somerville buys for a home.

Transactions Recorded.

The following transactions were recorded on the files of the Real Estate Exchange:

References: Q. quitclaim, W. warranty, L. deed; M. mortgage; P. release.

BOSTON CITY PROPER.

John J. Ryan to W. J. Moran, Auburn st., $2,250. Q.

Mary M. Mahan to Nora M. Lemahieu, Marion st., $1. Q.

Edward King Realty Co. to Henry Sacra et al., two lots, $1. Q.

Louisa M. Hall, mortgagee, to Rose M. Hall, Boston and Albany rd., $1,000. P.

SOUTH END.

Union Institution for Savings to Edwin R. Sanborn, Dover st., $1. Q.

Mary L. Lyon to Annie E. Lyon et al., $1. Q.

Mary Lyon et al. to Patrick Long et al., Parris st., $1. Q.

DORCHESTER.

Institution for Savings in Roxbury and Its Vicinity to Edward G. Tobin et al., Lee st., $4,000. P.

Mary Watson to Della Wales et al., Morley st., $1. Q.

DORCHESTER.

Henry J. Hourahan to Henry P. Boston Co-operative Bank, $1. Q.

George A. Parkman to Percy L. Hayes, Each st., $1. Q.

William H. Cary to Patrick F. Cary, Pine Bank rd., $1. Q.

Jessie H. Cheney et al. to Edward J. Webber et al., Lee st., $1. Q.

Ann A. Adams to Sarah E. Bowditch et al., $1. Q.

Jane A. W. Parker et al. to Percy Lyon Parker et al., Beach st., $1. Q.

WEST ROXBURY.

Josiah B. Perkins, Jr., to New England Railroad Company, Baker st., $1. Q.

Annie O. C. Brown to Francis G. Coolidge, Baker and Prospect sts., $1. Q.

CHARLESTOWN.

Hooker Hall Association to Cadets on to Fire Trust Company, Lark and Chelsea sts., and City sq., $1. W.

CHELSEA.

Jessie H. Allen to Lucy J. Wilson, Hartford st., $1. Q.

Hughes A. Sawyer to Dana Hiscock, Fourth st., $1. Q.

WINTHROP.

Herman R. Treadwell to David Floyd, Douglas st., $1. Q.

Richard Kelly to May A. Dowse, Hutchinson st., $1. Q.

REVERE.

Allen G. Shepherd estate to Frank J. MacGurg, Centennial av., Shirley st., $4,100. R.

TELEGRAPH WIZARDS TO TRY FOR RECORDS

HOWARD A. SMITH. HARVEY S. BROWN.

N. E. PRESIDENT, AND TWO OF AMERICA'S FASTEST TELEGRAPH OPERATORS.

Fastest Operators in the World Will Contest for Honors in Tremont Temple, and Great Results Are Looked For

The fastest telegraph operators in the world have been entered in the international telegraphers' tournament, which is to be held in Tremont Temple June 8.

Andrew Carnegie himself is said to sanction the tournament and has donated a silver cup for the championship of the world. Clarence H. Mackay president of the Postal Telegraph Cable Company, has offered several trophies for the fastest hands.

Foreign telegraphers will compete with [illegible]

Whole Country Represented.

[illegible] Besides the entries from those others are coming from other parts of the country with determination to carry off the honors of the contest.

One of the Speediest.

On Howard A. Smith, a Bangor, Me., operator, [illegible] the Boston of the Western Union. The latter operator will be in the form [illegible] of the business of the [illegible] newspapers, ordinary short [illegible] work, [illegible] and the [illegible] Smith is considered one of the [illegible] operators in the country. [illegible] Harvey S. Brown, who is in the form [illegible] of the business of the Associated Press, is a native of Boston, [illegible] Brown has been [illegible] Smith [illegible] Brown [illegible] Smith [illegible] Brown [illegible] Smith [illegible] Brown

CITIZENS IN MASS MEETING TO FIGHT SALEM LIQUOR LICENSE DEALS

Seventeen Out of Thirty-Seven Men and Places Granted Privilege Have Been Convicted of Illegal Rum Selling.

Incensed because seventeen out of the part of the Board of Licensers thirty-seven liquor licenses, which will go [illegible] into effect in Salem May 1, have been granted streets and this subject is expected to be granted to men who were convicted during the past year, a mass meeting, which is being formulated is intended for open court of illegal selling of liquor when which is being formulated is intended for the city was [illegible] meetings of the Mass Public Salem Anti-Saloon League and a number [illegible] Among other grievances against the of citizens who are not members, will be [illegible] commissioners is that they granted a [illegible] semble in mass meeting next Tuesday [illegible] liquor in a number of cases might be [illegible] want [illegible] they consider [illegible] is a town on the [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

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NEW ORLEANS WINS HEAVY-HITTING GAME FROM COLLINS' TEAM

Joe Harris Does the Pitching for the Boston American Outfit and Is Given a Hard Hammering.

By Boston American Staff Correspondent with Team.

NEW ORLEANS, La., April 7.—New Orleans took the third game of the series from Boston yesterday afternoon at Athletic Park by the score of 6 to 5. For the first time in a long while the New Orleans were in their batting clothes, and it was heavy hitting that won the game for the local team. Two three-base hits, one two-base hit and seven singles fell to the credit of the Pelicans, and while the Beaneaters also found good batting their hits were more scattered, and errors at critical times proved disastrous for them. When the Pelicans landed on Harris they batted the ball unmercifully. Bolin pitched the whole game for New Orleans and put up a very good showing.

The Beaneaters did not find him very puzzling, however, and although they did not smash out as long hits as the Pelicans did they generally found the ball when they were looking for it. Huber again played a star game for the Pelicans. He was called upon for two sacrifice hits, and so his stickwork did not show up conspicuously as it has in former games. His fielding was fast, and several times he accepted some very difficult chances.

"Old Man" Breitenstein held the infield and proved an able diamond boss. The Beaneaters did not think his decisions came exactly up to the high standard set by "Big Jim" Pelligren yesterday, but they honored him by declaring that he was fully as good as Professor Charley Green.

New Orleans scored one run in the first inning. Nadeau reached first on an error of Parent's at shortstop. Knoll lined out a single, and advanced Nadeau to third, and he came home on a drive of Beck into centre garden. Then the Pelicans didn't score another run until the seventh inning. Bolin reached first on a fluke hit and came in on a three-base hit of Nadeau.

The Pelicans got their last two runs in the eighth inning. Knoll led off with a three-base hit, and when Beck sent one skipping over the grass to Manager Collins, the latter threw wild to first, and Knoll came home, while Beck reached the second sack. He was advanced to third on a bunt of O'Brien, and when Huber bunted down the first base line he bounded across the rubber.

The Beaneaters scored their first two runs in the fourth inning, after two men had been put out. Freeman walked to first, and stole second. Grimshaw got a two-bagger into right centre, and Freeman came home. Then Godwin got a single over second base, and Grimshaw scored.

The score stood four to two in the Pelicans' favor when the Beaneaters came to the bat in the last half of the ninth inning, and this ended the matter. The score:

NEW ORLEANS.

	ab.	r.	lb.	th.	po.	a.	e.
Pass, 3b.	5	0	1	1	2	3	0
Nadeau, rf.	5	1	2	2	1	0	0
Knoll, cf.	4	1	2	2	2	0	0
Beck, lf.	4	1	1	1	4	0	0
Huber, 1b.	4	0	1	1	9	0	0
O'Brien, ss.	3	0	1	1	2	4	0
Bolin, p.	4	1	1	1	0	3	0
Rustien, c.	2	0	0	0	6	0	0
Smith, p.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals.	34	4	10	14	27	15	1

BOSTON.

	ab.	r.	lb.	th.	po.	a.	e.
Selbach, lf.	5	0	2	2	1	0	0
Collins, 3b.	5	1	0	0	1	2	0
Stahl, cf.	3	0	1	1	4	0	0
Parent, ss.	4	0	1	1	1	3	0
Freeman, rf.	4	1	2	2	0	0	0
Grimshaw, 1b.	4	1	1	2	10	0	0
Godwin, 2b.	4	0	1	1	2	4	0
Pierson, c.	3	0	0	0	3	0	0
Harris, p.	3	0	0	0	0	2	0
Totals.	36	2	11	11	27	11	0

New Orleans.	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	3	0—6
Boston.	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0—2

Two-base hits—O'Brien, Collins, Grimshaw. Three-base hits—Nadeau, Knoll, Stolen bases—Freeman, Pass. First base on balls—Off Harris 2, off Bolin 3. Struck out—By Harris 2, by Bolin 4. Sacrifice hits—Huber, O'Brien. Double plays—Bolin and Huber, Hit by pitched ball—By Bolin 1. Umpire—Mr. Butterfield. Time—1h. 45m.

CHESS MASTERS TO MEET FOR WORLD'S CHAMPIONSHIP.

Dr. Lasker and G. Maroczy of Hungary Agree to Play for the Title in October.

New York, April 7.—The announcement was made today that Dr. Emmanuel Lasker, chess champion of the world, and G. Maroczy, the Hungarian champion, now in this country, have agreed to play a match for the championship of the world. The match will begin on October 15 next. The terms of the match will be made public later.

Dr. Lasker won the championship from the late William Steinitz, whom he twice defeated for the title.

HARVARD AND YALE CREWS TO HOLD RACES JUNE 28.

Two Contests Will Be Rowed Upstream [illegible] One Down [illegible]

New London, April 7.—The representatives of Harvard [illegible] of the local Board of Trade [illegible] this afternoon at the Trocker House [illegible] consulated plans for the Yale-Harvard [illegible] next June.

Charles Schwappe was chosen chairman of the regatta committee, and it was decided to row the races on June 28. Two of the races will be rowed up stream and the third down stream. The freshman race of two miles will be rowed at 11 o'clock in the morning up stream from the bridge to the navy yard.

The four-oared race will be rowed immediately after the freshman race up stream, from the navy yard to the cross quarters, two miles.

The 'varsity race will be rowed at 4 o'clock p. m. over the usual four-mile course. In case of necessary postponement from any cause the races will be rowed the following day, each at one hour later.

William Meiklejohn, of Columbia, will referee the events, as usual.

These pictures of Harvard's pitchers were taken by a Boston American photographer as the men were practicing on Soldiers Field just before the game.

THREE HARVARD VARSITY PITCHERS.

POORLY PLAYED GAME EASILY TAKEN BY HARVARD.

Trinity No Match for the Crimson Nine, and Allow 13 Runs.

M'CALL THE STAR OF CAMBRIDGE FORCES

Harvard defeated the Trinity nine on Soldiers Field yesterday afternoon by the score of 13 to 0. The game throughout was one of the poorest exhibitions that has been put up on Soldiers Field in recent years, neither team hitting well and Trinity fielding worse than a second-rate high school nine, making ten errors in all. The redeeming features of the game were the excellent all-round playing of Second Baseman McCall of Harvard and the effective pitching of Gardner Greene, a former Volkmann School boy, who pitched the last four innings for the Crimson.

In the four innings in which he was on the slab, Greene, who is a left hander, allowed the Trinity players two hits and struck eight of them out. Greene is too small to have much speed, and depends for the most part on his slow curves, over which he has excellent control. He had the Trinity batsmen waiting for their balls to connect with his quick drop. Castle, who began the game in the box for Harvard, did not appear to such good advantage as he did in the last game he pitched. When he was taken out the Hartford collegians were beginning to connect with his benders in a telling manner.

Harvard Men Shifted.

McCall played a steady fielding game at second, accepting his four chances without an error. He again got three nice singles. Charlie Leonard hit well, scoring out two opportune singles.

Captain Stevenson tried Burr on first during the first half of the game, with McCarty in centre field in the last inning this order was shifted, Harvey, a freshman, was used at short during the last portion of the exhibition, and performed well. Morgan in centre field and Badgely on first base were the real ball players on the Trinity team.

Harvard did not hit hard in the game, securing but seven safe drives. Hitting was not necessary, for Trinity rolled up an aggregate of ten errors, and her pitchers, of whom she tried three in the course of the game, were most generous in issuing free passes, giving twelve in eight innings. Harvard rolled up seven runs in the second inning. The only thing that the Crimson players did to earn this was a single and two hits by Castle, Thomas, wild throws and errors did the rest. The score:

HARVARD.										TRINITY.									
Leonard, 3b	1	2	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	Morgan, cf.	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
Coolidge, rf	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	Russell, ss.	0	0	0	0	1	2	1	0	0
Carter, ss.	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	Lee, lf.	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0
Thomas, c.	1	1	0	0	7	1	0	0	0	Lewis, 2b.	0	0	0	0	2	2	0	1	1
Castle, p.	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	Badger, 1b.	0	0	0	0	10	0	0	0	0
Greene, p.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	Wyman, 3b.	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	0
Leonard, lf.	1	1	1	2	1	0	0	0	0	Harvey, ss.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Smith, rf.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	Randall, 3b.	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0
Burr, 1b.	0	0	0	0	8	0	0	0	0	Badger, rf.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Simons, ss.	0	0	2	1	0	0	1	0	0	Badger, p.	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
Harvey, ss.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0										
Greene, p.	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0										
Totals.	5	5	4	5	16	2	1	0	0	Totals.	0	0	2	0	15	7	1	3	1

Harvard.	0	7	1	1	0	0	1	4	0—13
Trinity.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0—0

Earned runs—Harvard, 7. Two-base hit—Burr. Sacrifice hit—Burr. Stolen bases—Leonard, Coolidge, Carter, McCall 2, Harvey, Castle 2, Greene, Leonard, Burr, Simons 2, Morgan, Lee, Badger, Wyman, Randall, Badger. First base on balls—Off Castle 3, off Greene 2, off Badger 1. Left on bases—Harvard, 7; Trinity, 5. Struck out—By Castle 1, by Greene 2, by Badger 2. Double play—Harvard to Badger. Hit by pitched ball—Burr 2. Time of game—1h. 45m. Umpire—Mr. Clarkson.

TENNEY'S MEN LOSE TO WASHINGTON IN NINTH.

Boston Nationals Had Stahl's Team Whipped Up to the Last Minute.

Special to the Sunday American.

Washington, D. C., April 7.—The final game of the series between the Senators and Fred Tenney's Boston National League team this afternoon wound up with a sensational finish, the final score being 4 to 3 in favor of the local team. Charley Jones was the hero of the occasion for, with two men out in the last inning and two bases occupied, he connected with one of Pfeffer's curves and drove it to the centrefield fence.

It was an ideal day for baseball—not a bit of breeze was stirring, and it was just cool enough for the players to keep in a right temperature. Although the locals did not get many hits, all of those made were timely. The Boston's had their hits scattered, and in only one inning was any damage done.

Smith was sent to the rubber for Washington and twirled a fine game. In the four innings he performed but two scratch hits were made off him, and seven batters struck out. McCoy, who relieved him, also did good work, allowing but three hits and fanning two batters.

Pfeffer, the man whom Manager Stahl tried to land, but did not, was on the firing line for the "Beaneaters," and pitched a fair game, although at times he was very wild. Lave Cross got back into the game and made his presence felt by getting the first of the Senators out and scoring the first run of the game. Williams covered the short field in Nick's place, who is walking around with a sprained ankle, Schaldly, at the "keystone" sack, played a great game, making one of the most sensational stops and throws to first seen on these grounds for some time.

For the visitors, Jack O'Neil started to do the pitching, but was forced to retire in the first inning when a foul tip from Pickering's bat split his thumb. He went to Freedman's hospital, where several stitches were put in. The Bostons will be without his services for several weeks.

Fred Tenney, at the initial corner play, did his old style fielding, but could do nothing with the stick. Brain, the youngster at second for the visitors, played a good game. Two long running catches were pulled off by Bates in the left garden. Stroud dashed in toward shortstop up the score of Jacobs, which started the Senators in the face in the ninth inning. He secured three outs, however, by a put-out of a triple through Charley Jones's territory in the eighth inning, which started the run getting of the visitors.

The score.

WASHINGTON.

	ab.	r.	lb.	th.	po.	a.	e.
Jones, cf.	4	0	2	2	3	1	0
Schaldly, 2b.	4	0	0	0	1	3	0
Hickman, rf.	3	0	0	0	1	0	0
Cross, 3b.	4	1	0	0	1	2	0
Anderson, lf.	4	1	1	1	2	1	0
Stahl, lb.	4	1	1	1	9	0	0
Williams, ss.	4	1	1	1	4	4	0
Heydon, c.	4	0	0	0	4	1	0
Smith, c.	4	0	0	0	4	1	0
Smith, p.	1	0	0	0	0	2	0
McCoy, p.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	40	4	6	8	27	15	1

BOSTON.

	ab.	r.	lb.	th.	po.	a.	e.
Geier, cf.	5	0	1	1	4	0	0
Dunne, rf.	5	0	1	1	1	0	0
Dolan, rf.	4	0	0	0	1	1	0
Bates, lf.	4	0	0	0	2	0	0
Brain, 2b.	4	0	0	0	1	2	0
Schmidt, ss.	4	0	0	0	1	3	0
Tenney, 1b.	4	0	0	0	11	0	0
O'Neil, c.	1	0	0	0	3	0	0
Pickering, c.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Pfeffer, p.	4	0	1	1	0	2	0
Totals	35	3	3	3	24	12	0

Batted for Pfeffer in ninth. Two out when winning run scored.

Washington.	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	2—4
Boston	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0—3

Two-base hits—Anderson, Jones. Three-base hit—Stroud. Stolen bases—Brain, Schaldly, Anderson, Williams. First base on balls—Off Pfeffer 1, off Smith 1, off McCoy 3. Struck out—By Smith 6, by Pfeffer 4, by McCoy 2. Double play—Brain and Tenney. Hit by pitched ball—Hickman. Umpire—Maxwell and Needham. Time—2h. 45m.

GIANTS HAVE AN EASY TIME WINNING FROM YALE.

Collegians Outclassed from the Start in a One-Sided Game at the Polo Grounds.

New York, April 7.—With an exhibition game between the New York Nationals, champions of the world, and the Yale collegiate team, the baseball season of 1906 was begun at the Polo Grounds today. McGraw's men, who only arrived from their Southern training tour yesterday, showed a good deal of their championship ability, while the Yale men were so completely outclassed that the game was one-sided and uninteresting. New York won by a score of 10 to 3, but the weather was so cold and raw that barring the greeting given to the teams when they came on the field, there was little enthusiasm exhibited by the spectators.

McGraw sent McGinnity to the pitcher's box for five innings and Dumont Taylor pitched the remaining four. Captain O'Brien, of the Yale team, called upon three pitchers, Jackson, Pratt and Persons, during the game. New York scored three times in the first, fifth and eighth innings, and added seven tally in the eighth. Errors by Mallory and O'Brien, a balk by Jackson, and three bases on balls were responsible for the first three New York runs in the opening inning.

With one man out in the fifth, a base on balls to Mertes, two doubles by Dahlen and a bad throw by Chapin, gave the locals three more in the fifth. Donlin knocked a three bagger in the same way the following inning, after Taylor had been dismissed. Browne beat out an infield hit and a double steal brought Donlin home. A fumble of Mclaine's by O'Brien, and a single by Mertes scored McGann and Browne. Browne's steal and Mertes's wild throw followed by McGann's two bagger gave the locals their last tally in the eighth inning.

Yale did not get a man past second until the seventh inning, when Mallory doubled to centre, but was caught at third on Camp's grounder to the infield with one out. O'Brien singled to centre and reached second on Dahlen's poor fielding. Kinney doubled, scoring O'Brien. Donlin dropped Smith's fly and on Meadon's single to left Kinney scored, but Smith was nailed at the plate. Camp was retired by Taylor and McGann. And this ended the rungetting for the visitors, as they went out in one, two, three order in the ninth. The score:

YALE.									GIANTS.								
	ab.	r.	lb.	th.	po.	a.	e.			ab.	r.	lb.	th.	po.	a.	e.	
Hurlbut, cf.	0	0	0	0	1	0	0		Dahlen, cf.	4	1	2	2	1	0	0	
Mallory, lf.	1	0	0	0	1	0	0		Donlin, lf.	4	1	1	1	2	0	0	
Kinney, 3b.	1	1	1	1	0	1	0		Mertes, rf.	4	1	1	1	1	0	0	
Smith, c.	0	0	0	0	4	0	0		Browne, 1b.	4	1	1	1	10	0	0	
Mallory, rf.	0	0	0	0	1	0	0		Dahlen, ss.	1	1	2	2	1	2	1	
Dahlen, 2b.	0	0	0	0	1	1	0		Donlin, rf.	1	1	1	1	2	0	0	
Camp, ss.	0	0	0	0	2	2	0		Wrigley, 2b.	0	0	1	1	0	1	0	
Chapin, c.	0	0	1	2	3	0	1		McGann, c.	0	0	1	1	4	0	0	
Jones, lb.	0	0	0	0	9	0	0		Meadon, p.	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	
Jackson, p.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		Taylor, p.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Pratt, p.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0										
Persons, p.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0										
Totals	2	1	2	3	27	4	1		Totals	18	6	10	10	27	4	1	

Yale.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0—3
Giants.	0	0	1	0	0	0	7	2	0—10

Two-base hits—Browne, Dahlen, Donlin, Madden. Three-base hit—Donlin. Stolen bases—Dahlen, Donlin, Mertes, Browne, Dahlen, Wrigley. Bases on balls—Off Jackson 1, off Pratt 1, off Persons 1, off Taylor 1. Hit by pitched ball—By Taylor 1. Balk—Jackson. Umpire—Joe Horning. Attendance—5,000.

MANHATTAN IS SHUT OUT BY BROWN NINE

Providence, April 7.—Brown shut out Manhattan on Andrews Field yesterday, 7 to 0. The game was a comedy of errors on the visitors' side. In the pitching line the visitors' twirler did well. Each pitcher retired ten men. Tift allowed six hits and Mahoney ten, and one base on balls. The home team made two errors, while the opponents gave an exhibition of ten errors. Boston batted well for the visitors, getting three hits. Score by innings:

Brown.	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0—7
Manhattan.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0—0

Two-base hits—Fee Brown, Tift and Fulme; for Manhattan, Mahoney and Connelly.

Castle.

ED. GREER'S STRING IS PROMISING THIS YEAR.

Noted Trainer Has a Big Lot of Horses He is Weeding Out at Memphis.

Lincoln.

B. A. A. MARKSMEN DEFEAT CRESCENTS

A large crowd attended the shooting match at Dorchester between the B. A. A. and the Crescent Club of New York at the former's traps at Hyde Park yesterday afternoon. B. A. A. also won were the winners by a score of 468 to 451, giving the visitors but eleven ducks left on the series up to date. The score:

B. A. A.

E. F. Gleason	24	23	24	23	94
C. S. Paine	24	24	23	24	95
J. A. Lawrence	24	23	24	24	95
A. Clark	24	23	24	23	94
A. Ellis	24	23	24	23	94
A. C. Elliott	24	23	24	23	94
H. Talbot	24	23	24	23	94
S. S. Whitcomb	24	23	24	23	94
Total	192	184	192	184	752

CRESCENT.

M. Palmer	24	21	24	21	90
A. Berry	24	22	24	21	91
H. Bergmann	24	22	24	21	91
H. Bright	24	21	24	20	89
J. Gilbert	24	21	24	20	89
L. Bergmann	24	21	24	20	89
C. Korte	24	21	24	20	89
G. G. Hermann	24	18	24	19	85
Total	192	170	192	162	714

Readville Men Pool Stock to Protect Themselves

It has been decided by the [illegible] of the New England Breeders Club [illegible] to continue for [illegible] to purchase the interests for a [illegible] of the [illegible] This action is for the purpose of [illegible] in holding the Readville [illegible] intact.

There have been rumored for some time that the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad have quietly had their agents buying the holdings of the minor stockholders in the Breeders' Association. It could not be construed in any other way than the road was doing so and with the object of securing fifty-one per cent. of the stock. Then it would lay it upon her power to convert the track to theatrical use, building car shops, freight yards [illegible]

Directors Must Hustle.

Unless the directors are very alert [illegible] will not be a great deal of trouble in the [illegible] railroad getting control of the stock, as [illegible] of the smaller holders to secure sufficient [illegible] is so widely distributed. There is 10,000 stock to be sold against the opposition.

Hartford.

HARVARD SOCCERS OUTCLASS SOLDIERS

The Harvard Association football team defeated the soldiers from Fort Warren on Soldiers Field yesterday afternoon by the score of 4 goals to 0. The work of the Harvard aggregation was the best that they have shown this year. Their team play was perfect, and completely overpowered the soldiers. Osborne and A. N. Reggio were the star performers of the afternoon, Osborne scored the only goal in the first half, while Reggio scored three times in the second period. Teams played with Fort Warren. The summary:

HARVARD.	FORT WARREN.
Parker, g.	g, Farrell
Ashley, f.b.	f.b. Sweeney
Mackenzie, f.b.	f.b. Sweeney
Morse, h.b.	h.b. Nicholson
Osborne, h.b.	h.b. [illegible]
A. N. Reggio, f.w.	f.w. [illegible]
C. Burnett, f.w.	f.w. [illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]
Pierson, f.w.	f.w. McDonald
	Dougherty

AMATEUR BOUTS AT B. A. A. WERE TAME BOXING CONTESTS.

Boxing bouts were the feature attraction at the B. A. A. last night in connection with the entertainment to the Association Club members, who were the guests. The bouts were made up between the best matched of the local amateurs in the opening bout John Connolly of South Boston met Allen Ross of Lander day, both rating in 120-pound class.

The boys traveled at an even pace for two rounds, and in the third and last opening up a bunch of mallop the Dobbs received a nasty cut over the right eye and a few nose scratches that began flow ing freely. After the bout the referee of Judges and pulled the verdict. His says, Connolly, Kennedy and Dr. J. McKenzie. Somerville knocked up both with a jarred each other at 148 pounds.

Hickey met the pace at the gong, and soon had his foe going from speedy left jabs. He had reach and height in his favor, and the combination was too strong for Kenny.

At the end of the second round Ryan, an old-timer, threw in the sponge. Referee Peters called Hickey's off and made the decision.

Eddie Dolan and Paul Strand, the National champion, met in the 135-pound class and upon a couple of rings. When he suddenly landed on Strand's right eye and closed it with a swollen lump. The round was cut short.

They came to the scratch in the second round, and Dolan staggered him again, but he stood up well under the punishment.

Stanley Ryan and Joe Hanlon, the third bout, Dolan's early lead earned him the decision from the judges.

The last bout was that of John Hanlon, both of South Boston, were paired at 115 pounds. Hanlon had the best of the bout, and had to get a little ginger talk from the master of ceremonies. They slugged each other for three rounds, and the judges agreed that Stanton slipped Hanlon.

Investigation developed that "Stallion" was a brother of Stanton. The whole was a clash between the "heavies." Fred Bradley of Roxbury and Joe Hanlon of Brooklyn.

The end came rather sudden in the first round, when Hanlon claimed he was hit below the belt and collapsed, and Referee Nelson went against Hanlon.

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SIGNBOARDS BETWEEN PHILADELPHIA AND BOSTON FOR AUTOISTS

American Association Votes $2,000 for the Purpose. Kerrison to Manage Bay State Meet.

Louis R. Spear, president of the Bay State Automobile Association, will return to Boston to-day after a hard week spent in New York in the interest of automobile affairs. While in New York he presided at a meeting of the directors of the American Automobile Association, at which it was decided to erect $2,000 worth of signboards between Boston, New York and Philadelphia.

This signboard feature is a step that has long been contemplated, and it seems to Mr. Spear's energy. Road racers are absolutely necessary now that motor car travel between these cities has become usual and common, and it has been a pet scheme of Boston motorists to see the idea in execution. Mr. Spear proved himself a friend at court.

The signs will be of a uniform size, shape and color, and will prove the much needed aid to motorists.

One of the important subjects discussed at the meeting was the Vanderbilt cup race. R. B. Vanderbilt, who was present, explained that the recent kicks registered in France and England did not come from either the Automobile Club of France or the British Club, but from disgruntled individuals who circulated stories against the mismanagement of the entire affair.

The protest of the British Club on the transcontinental race was laid aside until the next meeting.

To explain the advantages of the A. A. A. and in order to increase the membership as much as possible, it was voted that 1,000 explanatory circulars should be sent out to motorists. A fifty per cent. discount on trade publications and a reduced premium on accident, fire and liability automobile insurance will be offered hereafter by members of the association.

Those present at the meeting were L. R. Spear of the Bay State Automobile Association, third vice president of the A. A. A. who presided, Secretary Sidney R. Gorham, Chicago Automobile Club; Windsor T. White, Cleveland A. C.; George E. Farrington, Automobile Club of New Orleans; Benjamin Morris, Automobile Club of America; S. L. Haynes, Automobile Club of Springfield; G. A. Post, North Jersey A. C.; J. H. Edwards, Automobile Club of Buffalo; W. E. Metzger, Atlantic City A. C.; A. R. Pardington, Pa. A. A. C., and A. G. Batchelor, N. Y. Motor Club.

Kerrison to Manage Races.

That the automobile races of the Bay State Club at Readville on May 30 will be a success is assured by the latest act of the racing committee in appointing J. C. Kerrison as manager of the event.

Jack, as everybody in the auto world knows, is a conspicuous figure at the big events and has been closely identified with the automobile in every department from the earliest days of its existence and knows the game from A to Z.

Mr Kerrison had much to do with the success of the meeting held last year, and he is in a position to duplicate that with the stars of the racing game to appear as attractions.

Yankee Car Wins in Australia.

Word has just been received of the winning by an American automobile of the big event in the Australian Automobile Club, the distinction of being the first American car to win any speed event there. The car, the Gale, Crooke Cup, valued at one hundred guineas ($500), the most valuable one ever offered for an automobile race in the southern hemisphere. The race is a three mile handicap, and the Yankee machine came away with the event so easily that the spectators were hardly aware that it had finished. In fact, the 10 horsepower car made easier time than many of the more powerful English and continental cars entered, to the chagrin of the English and French agents interested.

The Continental Tyre Company presented the winner with a gold medal in addition to the cup, and being the first appearance of the Yankee car on the track in Australia, its creditable performance adds materially to its prestige.

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As They Do in Paris.

The Parisian garages are noted for the inducements held out to customers in the shape of comfort. They have rooms for dressing rooms, newspapers, books and in winter writing tables and fires. Henri Fournier is now getting up a "Salle d'armes" in connection with his garage in the Rue Piccini, where his clients may meet for a bout of boxing, fencing, or "la fatigue." All clients storing their cars there with M Fournier may thus practice physical culture, fencing and rounds with the gloves free of cost.

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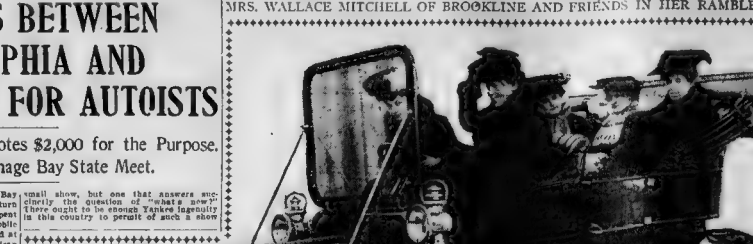
Paris has an annual show at which the exhibits are compendiously of the devices of individual inventors. It is a small show, but one that answers succinctly the question of "what's new?" There ought to be enough Yankee ingenuity in this country to pursuit of such a show



MRS. WALLACE MITCHELL OF BROOKLINE AND FRIENDS IN HER RAMBLER CAR.

CHARITY GETS $200 FROM AUTO CONCERN.

The New England Reform Society of West Brookline street has been awarded the $200 won by the Maxwell automobile in the recent hill climbing contest on Parker Hill avenue.

The committee of newspaper men selected by the Morrison-Tyler Motor Company at No. 321 Massachusetts avenue, New England distributors for the Maxwell car, after carefully considering the many requests from charitable institutions decided that the society was in more urgent need of funds than the others to which applied for the money.

The $200 was won by C. W. Kelsey as sales manager of the Maxwell Briscoe Motor Company in the hill climb which took place after the automobile show. The Bedford Kennel Club, holds forth in the City Hall on April 19 and 20, and coming on the holiday will carry a big delegation down from the hill.

Harry Lacy will be the all round judge and the following will act with him: Mr. Benson, French bulldogs; Mr. Barney, beagles; F. A. Keeling, Boston.

Mr. Keeling is one of the oldest active breeders of the terrier in the Hub and has done loads to raise the standard of the breed.

The premium lists have been sent out and the entries were heavy, closing yesterday, but any with the date on will be accepted

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COMING DOG SHOWS ATTRACT LOCAL FANCIERS.

It's merry times in dogdom this week with the four days' show at Atlantic City beginning Wednesday and the opening on the same day of the Merrimac Valley Kennel Club show at Lawrence

It is the fourth annual at Lawrence and all the local fanciers are in line with their best breeds to go after the ribbons. The exhibition will be held in the City Hall and M. F. Mulcahy will judge the Bostons, while Frank Dole will handle all other breeds.

Already an unofficial announcement has been made that there are 500 entries and nearly 400 dogs to be benched.

Nxt Week New Bedford will be the centre of attraction, as that hustling association of the Whaling City, the New Bedford Kennel Club, holds forth in the City Hall on April 19 and 20, and coming on the holiday will carry a big delegation down from the hill.

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TENNIS MEN PICKED TO PLAY ABROAD

New York, April 7.—The American team for the international tennis tournament has been selected and is composed of the following: Beals C. Wright, Columbia Club; Keigh Collins and Ray D. Little. The team will go to England and try to regain for the Dwight Davis international trophy. The first meeting will be at Liverpool, June 11, when the finals will be played in London, June 15 to 18.

CHAMPION TEAMS AT PROVIDENCE

Providence, April 7. Pat Powers, the principal owner of the Providence Eastern League team, brought on several additional players to-day in order to form a team that will be strong enough to defend the championship of the league. Among the new players are Outfielder Westfield, Springfield, Holyoke and Northampton teams.

LYNN JOINS B. B. Y. R. A.

At the regular April meeting of the Lynn Yacht Club, held at the clubhouse, the club voted unanimously to join the Boston Bay Yacht Racing Association.

O'BRIEN SHOULD BE JEFFRIES' OPPONENT, SAYS FIGHT EXPERT

The Big Fellow Now Thinks He Can Fight Once in a While and Still Attend to Business.

BY W. W. NAUGHTON.

By Boston American Leased Wire.

San Francisco, April 7.—As big Jim Jeffries has been notably silent of late on the subject of retirem, and as a silent tongue has been from time immemorial associated with a wise head, some persons have taken to call Jim the "Sage of Rink Jeff has broken his lingual fast and his utterances, skeletonized, just about mean that he is ready to unpack his ring habiliments and place himself inside of them if anyone will show him a worthy opponent and an attractive financial prospect.

Jim tries to explain that he never really retired. He holds that he was forced to resign the championship because there was no one in sight for him to defend it again. The public discharged him, according to the big Jim tells it, and now if the public wants to put him to work again he is quite willing to buck centre.

From Jim's remarks it is gathered that Jim always has beastering after his old job. The free life of the cow-yard has not lost its charm altogether, but Jim thinks probably he can get enough of it between fights.

Small Chance of Trouble.

Now that Jeffries is to the "Show me" mood, right fans are asking themselves what can be done. It is admitted on all sides that there is small chance just at present of creating any fistic trouble for him. Berger and Kaufman are feelings, and either of them would probably be rendered catatonic with buck fever if turned loose in a gymnasium inclosure with the side-tracked champion. Marvin Hart, playing hard and meaning though he may be, is out of the running, while the idea of pitting that runt, Tommy Burns, against the Titanic majesty Jeffries, mere ly appeals to one's sense of the ridiculous. Jack O'Brien seems to think that he can carve guns enough for Jeff, but doubtless he means rapiers and javelins.

If Jack is a mere in his effort to pave the way for a bout with the big fellow, he probably figures he can prod Jeff into doing the job himself, did with John L. Sullivan at New Orleans.

If O'Brien had sought a match with Jeffries five or three years ago, the proposition could have been laughed at, but circumstances have changed, and he would stand a fair to see Jeff in action again, but he can be hardly agreed that there is any one in the list at present who could force the big fellow with better chances of success than O'Brien. If Jeffries means a few steps further and lesions to look around for a fight, it seems to me that O'Brien is the man the promoters will select to go against him, and if the big round which makes pugilism a paying venture gets to thinking that the kind of cleverness which enabled Jim to put the kibosh on Sullivan may stand O'Brien in need in a battle with Jeffries, there will be a gradual warming up to the bout.

When Sullivan was beaten by Pompadour Jim the aftermath reeked with arguments to the effect that long absence from the ring, followed by a severe course of training, had taken all the starch out of the fighting machine. Jeffries' friends will, of course, that Sullivan's joints and bones had stiffened up materially through disuse

Is Jeff the Same?

Don't you think there are any number of good spots and true wondering whether Jeffries is as fast and free fisted as formerly, after the rust out of the ring for the better part of two years? I know there are, and I'll wager a wad that even on the point will create interest in any kind of an exhibition is arranged for the re-discovered champion

Encouraged by newspaper discussion of his ability to defeat Jeffries, Joe Ungar is out with a direct challenge to battle Nelson. Gans says the purse and the division of the purse are secondary considerations. He does not care a flake's curse about the size of the wallet, and he is willing to have Nelson take the entire contents if Nelson proves the better man.

What is more, Gans says he will box at the lightweight limit, his ability to make that limit being attested by several prominent and pugilistic persons at present sojourning in San Francisco.

Gans is willing to meet new Nelson in the East, a couple of months ago, the date being named by him.

The said he could meet me after he had bored Aurora and had a contest in Los Angeles," said Joe.

Since the arrival in Los Angeles the other day, said he would fight any one in sight.

In Gans telling truth about the Eastern interview, or has Nelson repented of hastily given promises?

A Warmed Over Match.

The bout with Herrera naturally appeals to the fans, for he has been over the ground before. It is a warmed over match, in fact, and will scarcely cause a big ripple of interest as would an event in which a durable Dane was tackling a brand new opponent. Roser turkey the first time out in this country appeared to be the best you meet it later in the form of timbales.

One thing Nelson can thank his stars for is that he has steadfastly boomed Herrera as the champion of the many men he has met. All that the Dane has said on this point has become glit-edged advertising.

April will probably be a matchless month so far as San Francisco is concerned. The fight trust appointed Coffroth matchmaker for the month, but after thinking the matter over Coffroth declined the position. The game of cross purposes in which the stockholders of the trust are engaged will continue.

At kaufman thinks Sam Berger has no right to "monkey with Jeffries" without consulting him. The idea of a Berger-Kaufman bout is particularly distasteful to Kaufman. He says he will box Berger for nothing a night, and a side bet to boot, with the understanding that if he loses he will have the privilege of signing with O'Brien. Berger says nothing

DORCHESTER HIGH WINS.

Dorchester High School opened her base ball season on the Dunbar avenue grounds, Dorchester, yesterday afternoon by overwhelmingly defeating West Roxbury 11to 0 by the score of 10 to 2. Dorchester had the advantage at all stages of the game The features of the game were the work of Hubbard and Regnier for Dorchester and Richards of West Roxbury. Score by innings

	R.	H.	E.
Dorchester	6	4	2
Roxbury	0	2	10

Batteries—Spaulding, Perry and Horvale; Howland and Bravail.

AUTO LEGISLATION IS PROGRESSING NICELY, SAYS PRESIDENT LEE

Head of the Massachusetts Automobile Club Writes of Good Roads and Motor Affairs.

By Elliot C. Lee.

President Massachusetts Automobile Club.

ELLIOT C. LEE.

AUTOMOBILE legislation is progressing nicely and the bills regulating speed limits and State control over automobiles will be of mutual benefit to the users of cars and all people who use the roads for practical purposes.

It takes some time to convince the inhabitants of the outlying districts the economy of having good roads, but the advantages are already seen in State roads, which are always in fit condition and prove the most available for travel.

I recall an instance down near Stockbridge which came to my notice last Summer. There is a large hill over which it takes the full power of a team of horses to get over with only a small load. Now, if considerable leveling was done it would save time and trouble, but for some reason the farmers fail to heed the possibilities of improvements and are satisfied to plod along in the same old way.

It would take very little labor to keep all the country roads in good shape during the bad season if they would dig ditches along the side of the road for the water to drain in. To do this would only be the cost of a little time and the accruing benefits would be infinitesimal.

Careful Men Have No Trouble.

In my five years' activity in the use of the automobile I have never encountered any kind of trouble with local officials and can't understand why so many get mixed up in difficulties with town authorities.

I have been particularly careful in running my car, always slowing down when approaching a pedestrian in the open country, and made it a point to use the utmost caution.

It's a funny thing, but the more noise a machine makes the greater the liability of officials to think that enormous speed is developed. Take a big red devil or a car with an exhaust like a switch engine, it creates the impression of terrific speed, while the smooth running car will often get by, although it might be exceeding the speed limit.

It's a wonder to me that the laws regarding horse-driven vehicles are not enforced more. I know from actual experience by following vehicles and having an accurate speedometer that the law was being infringed, but what constable would think of arresting a driver unless he was actually racing?

Everybody Blames the Auto.

At the present time everybody judges the automobile as an instrument of destruction, something like the electric car when it first came into use. A person may be struck down by a horse, and there are countless accidents reported every day of the kind, but they are taken as a matter of course, while if an automobile strikes a person it is front page news.

People should stop to think of the difference between a modern auto equipped with all the necessary appliances for stopping in a short space of ground, no matter what the rate of speed, and a heavily laden express team thundering along, which could not be stopped until it completely run over one

It's a strange thing how at times people look at things done by autoists. I remember last year, in the Glidden tour, I was having a little extended brush with Harlan Whipple in the western part of the State, and many persons along the road, the who saw us yelled, "Go it," "Beat him," "There's only two ahead of you." Now, under ordinary circumstances, these same people would frown on speeding, but in this instance they considered that a race was on, and took a different view of the matter.

To show what queer ideas some people have for the proper regulation of automobiles, the bill presented to the Committee on Roads and Bridges calling for every car to have a bell or other sounding contrivance was a good one. What chance would a person have with a dozen bells clanging in his ears all at once. It would be enough to bewilder any one.

Yale Tries Rugby Game Against English Team

Special to the Sunday American.

New Haven, April 7.—Yale met a team of former English university players this afternoon on the Yale Field in the first English rugby football game ever played by an American varsity team. Neither side scored. The Englishmen's team was a new one, only to lose it because of penalties incurred through ignorance of the game. The English players had never played together before and made a sorry exhibition of team play. They excelled Yale men

BASEBALL LAST COUPON TODAY IN THE AMERICAN CONTEST RACING BELMONT TWO-YEAR-OLD WINS BENNINGS FEATURE ROWING CAMBRIDGE EASILY DEFEATS OXFORD BOWLING

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BOSTON NATIONALS.

Slagle, cf. Brown, r. f.
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Stanley, c. Lowe, 2b.
Strobel, lf. Mertes, l. f.
Abbaticchio, ss Wagner, ss.
Niles, 1b. Bransfield, p.
Hogg, 2b. Beaumont, c.
Willis, p. Ritter, 1b.
Turner, 3b. Clarke, c. s.

BOSTON AMERICANS.

Dr Young, c. Kenney, r.
Criger, c. Hemphill, rf.
Freeman, 1b. Lowe, 2b.
Gleason, 2b. Stahl, cf.
Collins, cf. Parent, ss.
Parent, ss. Freeman, 1b.
Hoffman, l. f. Criger, c.
Arellanes, r. f. Young, c.
Graham, c. Winters, p.

This is your last and only chance to send in an opinion on the baseball contest. To-day's coupon is the last that will be printed. These coupons will be received until Thursday noon through the mail, or otherwise, but after that time, on account of the fact that the Nationals will line up against Brooklyn at Brooklyn on Thursday, the coupon box will be closed.

After almost two months of doping out suggestions as to how the two teams will line up in their first game, it looks as though the fans will have to begin all over again. The signing of "Cozy" Dolan when the contest has almost closed, has upset the dreams of thousands of fans who saw themselves seated in the grand stand of the National League grounds for a whole season as the guests of the BOSTON SUNDAY AMERICAN. The fans who were thoughtful enough to leave an order for extra papers with their news dealers are not regretting it. The fact that the National line-up has been turned upside down will start thousands of fans on the warpath to-day to get the last coupons.

It is probable that many thousands of the suggestions which the contest editor has received have not mentioned Dolan at all. This means that an avalanche of opinions will pour into the contest department from to-day until the ballot box is closed on Thursday.

Have you noticed the few changes that are likely to occur in the regular line-up and batting of the team? In spite of all the touting that the new man have received, it is probable that there won't be two new men on either team! Remember, this is the last coupon that will be published, and it must be turned in before Friday, as none will be received on that day. Send your line-up to-day. The twelve that come the nearest to getting the batting orders correct will receive a season ticket book to the grounds of the team whose team he has filled in order. It's your last chance to enjoy a season at the ball park

STARS OF THE BILLIARD WORLD TO COMPETE IN BIG TOURNAMENT

Great Billiardists Who Will Compete in the World's Championship Balk-line Tournament, Which Will Be Played at Madison Square Garden, New York, Beginning To-morrow.

BELMONT IS LUCKY WIN WITH SECOND-STRING.

Okenite Fails at Bennings, but His Stablemate, Curriculum, Takes the Race.

Special to the Sunday American.

Washington, April 7. Fully eight thousand people saw [illegible] on a sport with many delightful features at Bennings to-day. The weather was [illegible] almost sultry, just the sort for fast racing.

August Belmont's Okenite, at 1 to 8, failed the public in the Washington Nursery [illegible] stablemate, Curriculum, [illegible] of the first [illegible] with the rest beaten off half a [illegible].

James W. Cox's old [illegible] Douro, won the hurdle steeplechase, thanks to a perfect ride by Rodell, the boy who promised to revolutionize steeplechase riding. He uses a crouching Tod Sloan seat and seems to conserve the energies of his mount with more snap than sit up riders.

Cut a Killing Pace.

Ray, on Pantoon and Gallagher, on Copper, cut out a [illegible] pace so hot that they eliped four seconds off the record. Meanwhile, Rodell, [illegible] eight or ten lengths in the rear with Douro. He made up his [illegible] to the run home and [illegible] literally frash Douro, who [illegible] lengths from Copper Pantoon [illegible] an Indifferent third.

Joe Mack [illegible] the very liberal price of 3 [illegible] ride Monkey Face to victory in the [illegible] Handicap, with Paul [illegible] Lad and Worthington second. Nattie [illegible] [illegible] speed and led by [illegible] to the stretch, where he [illegible] and the little negro Bryant [illegible] in the drive. York shire Lad, probably the best horse in the race, got a very bad ride and should do [illegible].

Easy for Kure.

Kure, the favorite, was never extended to win the maiden race by five lengths from Frills, the second choice [illegible] was third, 15 lengths away.

At Newport Mineola's stablemate took like a platter in the fifth. In the sixth Father Bill [illegible] never [illegible] the sweet price of 20 to 1. Water Course, another outsider, was a good second after having been practically left. Royal Widow, heavily played, [illegible] [illegible] and was an odd fifteen. third.

Summaries:

FIRST RACE—[illegible] and up maiden [illegible] 5½ furlongs: Dupplex, 107 (Lee), 3 to 1 and even, won; Dumpoor, 92 (Mitchell), 8 to 5, second; Clifford, 94 (Burns), 12 to 1 and 3 to 1, third. Time, 1:07 2-5. Lucy Lad and Worthington also ran.

SECOND RACE—Selling, [illegible] and up, 5½ furlongs: Okenite, 107 (Rodell), 1 to 3, won; Curriculum, 110 (Mentry), 6 to 1, second; Tanglefoot, 113 (Hildebrand), 5 to 1, third. Time, 1:06 4-5. Douro, Blanche Gerrish, Stanley Mc and Andrea also ran.

THIRD RACE—Steeplechase, [illegible] and up, about [illegible] miles: Douro, 142 (Rodell), 3 to 5, won; Wanderer, 136 (Mack), 6 to 1, second; Rockwell, 140 (Hildebrand), 6 to 1, third. Time, 5:07 1-5. Miller, Thistledown, Tuse, Sir Dixon and Sir Hugh also ran.

SIXTH RACE—[illegible] and 100 yards [illegible] 3 and up: Water Course, 120 (Lee), 20 to 1 and 5 to 1, won; Royal Widow, 120 (Mentry), 5 to 1 and even, second; Lucy Antoinette, 120 (Mack), 3 to 1, third. Time, 1:52 2-5. Lady and Saladin also ran.

HOLY CROSS ENJOYS PICNIC WITH AGGIES.

Worcester College Boys Bat Two Pitchers Out of the Box and Win Hands Down.

Special to the Sunday American.

Worcester, April 7.—After batting two of the opponents pitchers out of the box, Holy Cross won a signal victory over the Amherst Aggies team this afternoon by a score of 16 to 4.

In the first inning with two men on bases, Tirrell for the "Aggies" landed on the ball for three bases bringing in O'Donnell and Clarke. In the second inning O'Donnell and O'Grady bunched hits, the latter for two bases. Hubbard and O'Grady scoring the final runs for the "Aggies."

In the first inning Captain Flynn of Holy Cross drove out a homer and, abetted by a two-bagger by Barry and aided by the Amherst men, five runs were tallied. In the last of the sixth, Kennedy succeeded Hubbard, and the change proved fatal.

In the seventh Holy Cross batted around, landed unmercifully on Kennedy for nine runs. The latter proved very wild, giving five bases on balls in one inning. He was succeeded by Cobb, who proved more consistent. O'Brain pitched a fast game for Holy Cross. In the eighth inning Fraser, a new twirler for Holy Cross, went into the box, holding the visitors down without a hit, and striking out five men in two innings. The score:

HOLY CROSS.	AB.	R.	BH.	PO.	A.	E.
Carroll, c.	2	0	1	4	1	0
Flynn, p.	5	2	1	0	1	0
Barry, 2b.	5	2	2	2	2	0
Smith, 1b.	5	1	1	11	0	0
Curtin, ss.	5	1	1	1	3	0
Cahill, l. f.	5	2	2	1	0	0
Cullen, c. f.	5	2	2	2	0	0
Cullen, r. f.	5	2	2	2	0	0
Fraser, p.	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals.	43	16	12	27	7	0

AMHERST.	AB.	R.	BH.	PO.	A.	E.
Tirrell, 2b.	4	1	1	2	3	1
Clarke, c.	4	0	0	5	1	0
O'Donnell, p.	3	0	0	0	2	0
Kennedy, p.	1	0	0	0	0	0
Cobb, p.	0	0	0	0	0	0
O'Brain, p.	1	0	0	0	0	0
Hubbard, c.	3	0	0	6	0	0
O'Grady, 3b.	4	1	1	1	2	0
Fraser, p.	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals.	16	2	2	14	8	1

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Holy Cross	5	0	0	0	0	0	9	0	0—16
M. C. C.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4—4

Two base hits—Barry, Hoar, Smith. Three-base hits—Tirrell, Kevin. Home run—Flynn. Sacrifice hits—Cahill, Barry, Curtain. Stolen bases—Cahill, Barry, Curtain, Smith 2, Healy, Cullen, Left on bases—Holy Cross, 7; Amherst, 7. First base on balls—Flynn, 1; Cobb, 1; O'Brain, 1; Kennedy and Cobb, 1; off O'Donnell 1. First base on errors—Holy Cross, 1; Amherst, 1. Struck out—By Flynn, 5; O'Donnell, 1; Kennedy, 1; Cobb, 2; O'Brain, 2; Fraser, 2. Hit by pitcher—By Flynn, 1; O'Donnell, 1. Passed ball—Clarke. Time—2h. 11m. Attendance —200.

WATERTOWN CLUB DEFEATS HARVARD

The Watertown Gun Club defeated the Harvard marksmen on Soldiers' Field yesterday afternoon in a match shoot with a total score of 218 to 199 for the contestants. The score:

HARVARD.		WATERTOWN.	
Wickersham	40	Todd	45
Nash	44	Carver	41
Dudley	42	Hall	45
Kissel	38	Conner	43
Mansfield	35	Nash	41
Totals	199	Totals	219

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Hoppe, Slosson, Schaefer, Cure and Cutler of Boston Among the Entries for the Event.

By Boston American Leased Wire.

NEW YORK, April 7.—One of the most interesting events in the history of billiards will start tomorrow at the Madison Square Garden Concert Hall, when the world's championship tournament at 18.2 balk line begins. The last tournament held in this city took place in 1901, when Schaefer won the 18.1 championship, defeating Slosson, Daniel, Sutton, Morningstar and Howison.

The seven men who will contest in the tourney are the recognized masters of the world at the green cloth game. First and foremost is Willie Hoppe, now the world's champion at the 18.1 balk line game, who, fortunately for the tournament, settled his difference with the promoters at the eleventh hour. Hoppe recently beat Slosson, but he will find much more difficult to win from a crowd of very clever men.

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Then, there is Schaefer, the "wizard," who showed Hoppe the fine points of the game, and who is now playing in great form. Then Slosson, Cure, the French expert; George Sutton, who has developed his style at the Paris academies; Orlando Morningstar and Albert G. Cutler, the young Boston professional.

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Two Shots in Balk.

This style of play is less difficult than the 18.1 as it allows two shots in balk instead of one. This gives the player a chance to play for position, which is not nearly so possible in the other game. It is more attractive than the one shot in, as the player has more chance for clever maneuvering and is better suited for close playing and nursing.

Among the players, Hoppe has the center of the stage. His brilliant work during the last tournament, in addition to his victory over Slosson before the public in great bouts. He is one of the most unsophisticated players in a match, no matter what is at stake.

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All of the billiard sharps are picking Hoppe as the winner and Schaefer as the second and Cure third man. Each player has paid $250 as an entrance fee, which will be added to a purse of $3,000, divided by the promoters, and divided as follows: Forty per cent to the winner, 25 per cent to the second, 15 per cent to the third, 12 per cent to the fourth and 8 per cent to the fifth.

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STATE'S BEST ASSET IS A GOOD ROAD SAYS AUTOIST.

Poor Highways Are a Big Handicap to Any Live Community.

"Did you ever consider what a handicap it is to a State to have poor roads?"

That question was asked by a prominent motorist in New York the other day. He had been touring all Summer through New England and had a chance to get an idea of where the best roads for motoring were located. His remarks on the subject are worth serious consideration, not alone by automobilists, but by legislators as well.

"In Massachusetts there is a system of roads that is not surpassed in America," he said, "and that State gets an immense benefit from the fine highways in more ways than one. It is a paying investment. Any person who has ever traveled through the State in a motor car finds the riding so comfortable that he wishes to repeat the trip.

State Makes Money.

"Not only that, but he prolongs his stay in the State to take advantage of the fine driving. Ordinarily accompanied by two or three others, this means an expenditure for living expenses that brings money into places in the State where before there was no such revenue.

"No one city has a monopoly on this, for many of the smaller towns have had strangers within their gates who never would have been there but for the roads that led them within. They did not care, for they have lost the stereotyped annoyance of making a mistake in the day's journey and finding themselves in some dismal place that presented themselves here and there, even with the well-kept roads, added a zest to the trip.

Other States Less Fortunate.

"We hear a lot about the beauties of this region or that one and plan to make a trip to see what the places are like. We see them, to be sure, but the automobilists experienced in making the journey often take every mile of the pleasure that otherwise might have been enjoyed.

"If New Hampshire only had had a system of roads anywhere near like that of Massachusetts, what a paradise it would be for the motorists. Some day the situation may be realized by the people of that State and something done to help the matter, but it looks as if it were a long way off.

"For example, there are roads in the northern part of the State where the scenery is simply magnificent that could be put in good shape for a few dollars. I know of places where the expenditure of a couple of dollars a day for a week or two to fill up holes and level roads would in a week or two make the highways fifty per cent better.

"At present they are abominable in some places. When you find you have to run a car at six or seven miles, and at times slow down to the point that just divides between actually stopping and barely moving, because of holes and ruts, when the road is perfectly level, too, for some miles, two cents less of the discomforts of motoring thereabouts may be guessed."

NOBLE EARL IS NOW A TERRIFIC SCORCHER.

Earl of Portsmouth, of Evangelical Tendencies, Becomes a Bold, Bad Motorist.

Never, probably, has the possession of a motor car wrought a more striking change in its owner than that which has lately been apparent in the noble Earl of Portsmouth. Ever since he came out of Oxford his lordship has been known as that rare thing—a peer with evangelical tendencies. Imbued also with certain socialistic leanings, sport of any kind seemed completely out of his line, and if there was one thing abiding citizen in the land it certainly was he.

Just how the Earl came to acquire a motor car has not developed, but it seems to have turned Jekyll into Hyde so far as he is concerned. For all of a sudden the Earl has become no end of a "scorcher," and to talk to him about the police is like waving a red flag at a bull.

Posted a Warning.

He got himself into the papers the other day by posting up a warning to other motorists near a well-known "police trap" on the borders of his Hursthourne Park estate, and he is one of the leading spirits of the newly-formed Automobile Association, whose avowed mission it is to fight the rural authorities who prosecute car owners. Other distinguished members of the association are Sir Arthur Conan Doyle, who has been indicted in heavy fines, and the Hon. Stephen Coleridge, who records in one of the Times that while motoring in the Andover road "fell among magistrates," thus paraphrasing the Bible anecdote.

The Earl of Portsmouth, who is also Viscount Lymington and Baron Wolleg, is forty-nine, and one of the richest men in the section of the county—Hampshire. His estate there comprises 47,000 acres, and besides Hursthourne Park House he has a big town mansion in Westminster and another country residence in South Devonshire. One of his ancestors was vice-treasurer of Ireland under Elizabeth, and another sat to try Charles I., but declined to sign the monarch's death warrant.

Like His Father.

Now that the Earl has caught the motoring craze he reminds one more of his father, the late Earl, who was famous as a daredevil huntsman and were the finest packs of hounds in Hampshire. Even in his carriage he always drove at breakneck speed. In London he was well-nigh mobbed by those who could never go fast enough to suit him. One day, however, the Earl met a Jehu who was rather more than his match. He was driving down Piccadilly in a hansom when the street became badly blocked. The cab stopped, whereupon the nobleman became wrathy and demanded to be hurried forward at once. The driver pointed out that the street was impassable. "Rubbish, man, clear the road!" cried his lordship. "I'm the Earl of Portsmouth!" "Very good, sir," returned the cabbie, "you may be Lord Portsmouth in the country, but you ain't Lord Almighty up here."

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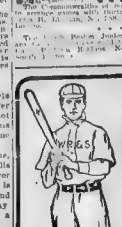

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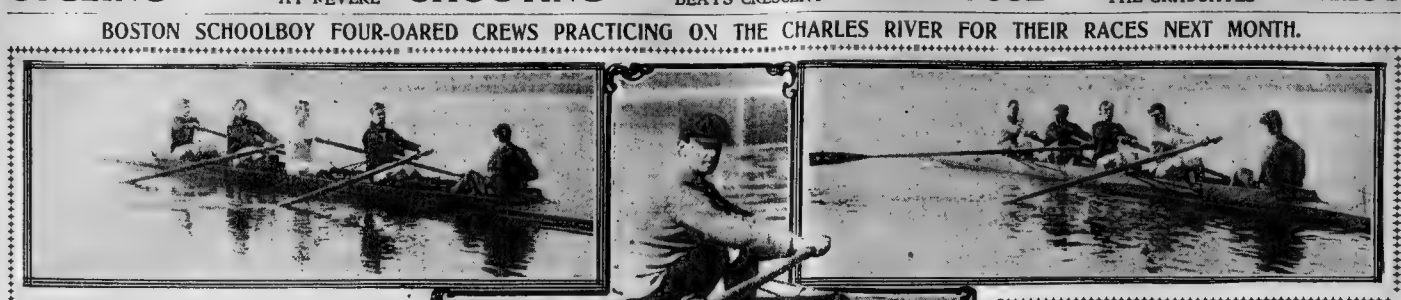
BOSTON SCHOOLBOY FOUR-OARED CREWS PRACTICING ON THE CHARLES RIVER FOR THEIR RACES NEXT MONTH.



BOSTON LATIN CREW—May, bow; Flynn, 2; Jouett, 3; Perry, stroke; Daly, coxswain.

COACH GRANEY OF THE BOSTON ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION.

DEMERRITTE CREW—Brush, bow; Harkins, 2; Donnelly, 3; Captain Johnson, stroke; Coach Graney, cox-swain.

TRAINED ON EGG DIET, CAMBRIDGE CREW WON EASILY FROM OXFORD

Cantabs Took the Lead from the Start and Held It All the Way in Annual Race.

London, April 7.—Cambridge University had no difficulty in defeating Oxford this morning in the annual boat race on the Thames, by over three lengths in the fast time of 19 minutes and 24 seconds.

Considering that the winning boat was not pushed and that its occupants until the last few days have not been favorites, the race presents peculiar features in regard to modern training.

The weather was perfect for the great race. A bright sun was sparkling on a smooth surface there was little wind and no choice of positions. Thousands of spectators lined the forty-odd miles of bank to see if there was little chance for any great exhibition as the Cambridge men took the lead at the gun and were never in danger.

Cambridge Off in the Lead.

Oxford won the toss and chose the Surrey side. The two boats got away almost at 12:03 p. m. Cambridge struck the water first, pulling thirty-two strokes during the first minute to the mile. At the Crab Tree Public House the Cambridge boat quickly showed in front and at Craven Cottage Bridge was half a length to the good. Oxford here forged ahead a little, but with perfect Polish Cambridge soon increased their lead to a full length at the Crush Steps, about three-quarters of a mile from the start, were reached.

Thereafter Cambridge drew away with every stroke. At Hammersmith Bridge, one and three-quarters of a mile from the start, Cambridge already had the race well in hand, with a lead of very near two lengths. The Oxford boat at that stage of the race was rolling badly. Shortly afterward the Oxford men spurted and took their rivals' water, but from that time on it was merely a procession, though the Oxford oarsmen stuck to their work in a most persevering manner.

Distress in Oxford Boat.

Cambridge shot under Barnes' Bridge, a little over three and a half minutes from the finish, about five lengths in front of the Oxford boat, of whose oarsmen were showing evident signs of distress. Cambridge could have won practically by any distance they liked, but their stroke moved down on nearing the finish and Cambridge passed the finish post the easiest of winners.

A peculiar interest was attached to the race this year for the winning crew has been dieting perfectly upon eggs. When the training season was begun several weeks ago the Cambridge men gave a promise of showing superior form.

Trained on Eggs.

It is said the crew began to show great improvement, but a general cause was the response when it became known that they had consumed large quantities of eggs. The consumption of eggs reached record figures during the week, the result that the boat was found in after practice. The crew on the day, however, has given no outward sign of consuming it.

Last year Oxford was the victor in twenty minutes thirty-five seconds. At the outset of the season it looked as though the same crew would have an easy time of it again. Later, however, several members of the Oxford shell were incapacitated. This man Cambridge yesterday almost a repetition of the event in 1858.

But one has the race resulted in a dead heat, Oxford winning thirty-four and Cambridge twenty-seven times since the inauguration of the event in 1853.

SCHOOLBOY CREWS SHOWING GOOD FORM IN THEIR PRACTICE WORK

Now that the interscholastic crews have swallowed the fundamental principles of managing the sweeps, Coaches Graney of the B. A. A. and "Tut" Donovan of the Tech Boat Club, hope to ground out immediately some formidable combinations with the material on hand.

The candidates this year, although more numerous than in previous seasons, are not on the average of the usual quality. This can be readily seen now that an entire week of the Easter vacation has been passed in steady work. None of the boys have been allowed on the water without their sweaters, and three days have been rather choppy for the novices. Nevertheless the coaches have determined to cut a swath in the candidates and get down to the hard pan with the best material they can find. At present all the schools are supporting at least two boats, many of them three, and this looks it difficult for the coaches to get a team worth later on.

Boston Latin School at present seems to have the best rowing outfit. The crew is good and heavy compared with the other boats and at present they are working together. DeMeritte School has been handicapped through the week by the loss of Wallis, stroke, who has been laid up with a bad heel from a rowing machine.

Brookline and Greenough has three boats working in constant shifting. What four will be the final men to work together is hard to decide as yet.

Stone's school has added an auto launch and a paper eight-oar shell to the school fleet. This is necessary on account of many candidates who have had nothing to do while the other eight-oar was on the river. Coach Judd is doing good work with his charges.

GAY BINGEN IS SOLD FOR $5,000 AND BRADY WILL CAMPAIGN HIM

Nancy Hanks Will Soon Have a Foal by John A. McKerron—No Racing at Nashua This Year.

Fred L. Lee, the West Springfield horseman, has sold to a patron of Trainer James Brady, Macon, Ga., his three-year-old stallion colt Gay Bingen, by Bingen, 2061, dam Gaiety Girl, 2:13¾, by Red Wilkes, for $5,000. This makes two three-year-old Massachusetts trotting bred products to be sold in a week, that combined fetched the good amount of $15,000, calling for attending of the entire country to the high class of horses the breeders of the State are raising.

Gay Bingen was worked a little last season by Dave McClary at Hartford. No effort was made to have him trot a fast mile, the object being to only develop his speed for the big futurities of the circuit. He stepped a mile in 2:30, the final quarter in :32 seconds.

In the Fall he was sent by Mr. Lee to Brady at Macon to winter, and he prepared for the campaign this season Brady has become convinced that he has a good chance to win in the stakes he is entered. By having Gay Bingen Brady received a letter from Mr. Kenisky stating that the former trotting queen of the turf, Nancy Hanks (2:04), will soon produce a foal by John A. McKerron (2:04¾).

The speed inheritance of this foal will exceed that of any youngster in the world, as the speed average from the sire and dam is 2:04¾. Mr. Johnson also says that Fanella, 2:12, dam of Sadie Mac, 2:08¾, and Todd, 2:14¾, is safely in foal to Moko. She will be bred this year to Peter the Great, 2:07¾.

No Racing at Nashua.

There will be no racing at the Nashua (N. H.) fall-mile track the coming season, except at the annual fair, according to the statement of J. F. Graham of that city. He was one of the party in the disposing of the property of the Fair Association yesterday by the Driving Park Association, which in previous years has held several meetings during the racing season.

With Nashua dropping from the list of half-mile tracks in this section of New England will be taken by Taunton Mass., next year. They will build a mowing in a few days and expect to have it for the season probably following the line with Worcester and Readville. Taunton is a two-mile circuit with easy shipments for the horsemen.

Fred Clark at Readville.

A new addition to the Readville colony of trainers is Fred Clark, the Providence driver, who has rented a string of stalls and is expected to retire Monday with ten head of horses.

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OLD ELI NINE WILL LEAVE ON BIG PRACTICE TRIP WEDNESDAY NEXT

If Weather Conditions Are Favorable Yale Varsity Crew Will Take Four-Mile Spin on River This Week Before Easter Vacation.

New Haven, April 7.—Yale athletic teams have completed plans for their Easter training and trips. The recess begins next Wednesday and the baseball nine leaves at noon, reaching Georgetown in Washington the next day and playing six games before its return to New Haven. Yale would be about satisfied with an even break with Georgetown and with the University of Virginia with whom she has two games each scheduled. She expects to beat Norfolk College and she will put up a stiff fight in New York when she meets Fordham at the Polo Grounds for the last match of the trip. Yale should break even on the Easter schedule, winning at least three games.

All her young players will get a thorough tryout in the South. The veteran Saunders, Jackson, will not pitch many games for two or three weeks. He has a game arm and will work into condition slowly. Howard Jones, the Exeter pitcher of last season, Eddie Pratt, sensational pitcher last year, and Parsons, who was pitched at Lawrenceville, will do most of Yale's twirling till settled weather. Malloy will be given an outfield. He is a freshman from Andover. Tad Jones, the football quarterback, will be tried at first base on the Southern trip. He caught for two years at Exeter.

Camp Having Hard Fight.

The veteran, Camp, at second base, is having a hard fight to hold his place in view of the amazing game played by Williams, the former Andover third baseman. The better lucky will win, as the rivals are fielding brilliantly.

The Yale track team will be sent home during the first part of its Easter recess Captain Cates has notified the members that they can go away when vacation begins next Wednesday, and remain till the following Monday, when they will return for morning and afternoon work on the cinder path. The quarter-mile track has been in such shape for two weeks that it was not available for use, but the team will get three more days of hard work before vacation. The absence of Paterson, who has gone to the Olympic games, and Bray, the crippled pole vaulter, has cast a damper on the team, and those of who ing the intercollegiates is slender. Captain Jack Shevlin, the hammer thrower is the only star left on the team, and he failed to perform in first-class fashion last year. Levy, the best sprinter on the team, has done almost no work during the Winter.

Before the Yale crew goes home for its Easter vacation it will get over the four mile course for the first time this year, if weather conditions are anywhere near favorable. The oarsmen will stay here after college closes next Wednesday till Saturday morning, and possibly after. Tuesday afternoons till Saturday. The varsity eight has been clocked from three to 2:5 miles. It has tried no longer distance than that, and Coach Kennedy will be keenly disappointed if rough water prevents the eight from covering the four miles before Easter. Now Saturday noon the oarsmen will go home in a nearly till college opens the following Thursday.

Thirteen Crews at Work in Harbor.

A total of thirteen crews is now at work on the harbor. Of these, four eights are the Yale varsity squad, three are freshmen, and the rest are class crews who are work ing into form for the inter-class events at the Spring regatta. Interest in class rowing is never a keener here, and its revival has a ready borne fruit for the varsity. Mr. Rogers, a class oarsman, who has stuck to his rowing for four years, has just been taken from the 'Go shell into the varsity boat. He has replaced Ege, who has been rowing No. 3. Ide was a member of the Sophomore eight last year. He is an excellent oarsman, but Rogers's persistency and steadfastness for the present. Nor in years has a green oarsman eight-at he was so doggedly taut in his senior year he has a place in the varsity shell. Ege, who

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BRODIE—In Dorchester, April 5, Catherine A., beloved wife of Frederick Brodie, formerly of Bright st.
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CARR—In Newton Centre, April 3, Catherine M. Carr.
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GERVAIS—In Roxbury, April 6, Felagie, widow of Bernard Gervais, 87 years.
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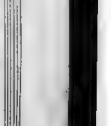

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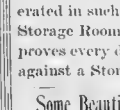

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$1,500—LIQUOR SALOON, best in Boston; $225 weekly; good stock; long lease; will loan you $4,000. COWAN & CO.

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$600—VARIETY STORE near 3 schools, good trade; $600 cash gives you this; rent $25 a month. COWAN & CO.

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HOUSE AND STABLE on Boston street, new steam and electric, 1-3 new land, beautifully laid out, 30 fine apple trees, 100 pear trees, good variety of fruit and berries, with fine vegetable garden; piazza, hot and cold water, modern conveniences, elegant up-to-date stable; place freely located; rent $30. Apply to owner, 1,362 Boston Post road, P. O. Boston Americas.

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AXMINSTER RUG, 12 ft., for sale, or exchange for smaller one; cost $75; will sell for $30. 1 Arcade.

COLUMBIA Phonograph, 19 records, field glasses, 1 pair, 2 cameras, for gasoline; call 4 to 6 p. m. instruments exchange for best offer. 6 2017 Tremont, Roxbury.

DESKS, office furniture, store fixtures or stocks of merchandise bought for cash or exchanged for something you want. LEE, 30 Hanover st.

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$350—COMBINATION lunch and variety; full of business, high class trade. GRANITE STATE OF FICE.

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A NICELY furnished square room, hot and cold water, furnace heat, all conveniences; also side room. 1 Arcade.

A-200 W. CANTON ST.—Newly furnished parlor, front and side rooms, single or en suite, day or week.

AT 1049 IN HANCOCK ST.—Nicely furnished large square room, with running water; breakfast if desired. Call after 6 p. m.

A-202 TREMONT ST.—Large front square room, with running water; breakfast if desired.

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AT 24 UNION PARK—Well furnished front parlor, bay window, hot water heat, street floor, first class; private family.

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COTTAGE at Belgrade Lake will be open for the season of 1906; rooms to let by the week; good table. W 228, Boston American.

DESIRABLE rooms, with or without board, steam heat, marble baths, exercise. 454 Commonwealth av.

DINING ROOM and kitchen to let, reasonable rent. 412 Broadway, Somerville.

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FURNISHED square room to let. 87 Waltham st.

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AGENTS wanted to sell the best kettles in the world; 5 sizes; 5 prices; 5 profits; 5 kettles in one; preserving kettle of all kinds; tea kettles; boilers; seamless handle, no more food wasted; agents' outfit free; write for it; don't delay. THE MONARCH CO., 46 Chauncy st., Boston, Mass.

AGENTS—Send us your address and we will show you how to make $3 a day right at the start; right at home, all or spare time; we will pay $150 a month; all we ask is a chance to prove it to you. MANAGER THOMAS, 901 Reaper Block, Chicago.

AGENTS—$50 a week; one of the best insurance companies in your county wants a representative; old, sickness and death; easy to handle; if you are looking for a business that pays, write quick to Box 2455, Boston, Mass.

AGENTS wanted as an entirely new and novel proposition; one man made $90 in 12 days, one lady $49 in 4 days; particulars and sample free. Address E. RANDOLPH, 170 Summer st., Boston, Mass.

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AGENTS make $5 per day handling new and up-to-date line of confectionery; outfit and full line samples free. THE ACME ENGRAVING CO., Boston, Mass.

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AGENTS wanted to introduce Dr. Mills's Nervine Tonic; you can make $5 a day; write for terms; if you will send $1 size bottle free for sample. Write to M. E. PRESCOTT & CO., Kalamazoo, Mich.

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AGENTS—Best seller yet; linenette collars and cuffs, will not wilt, always look immaculate; sample, liberal commission; exclusive territory. UNCAS MFG. CO., Highland, Hampden Co., Mass.

AGENTS—Best yet and hot seller, light and easily carried, 25 lbs.; 400 candle power; $3; expense offer; work and collecting, desires experienced men. Write quick. THE KNOX CO., Dept. A, 23 Brackett st., Roslindale.

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AGENTS—Electrical apparatus; 200 per cent profit; everybody buys; sample and terms free. W. CHASE, Box 1, Newark, N. J.

AGENTS—175 articles; send for catalog; agent's free outfit and profit sharing plan. EXCELSIOR SPECIALTY CO., 48 Winter st., Boston, Mass.

AGENTS—Something new; sticky seller; rear wood; write for sample and terms. ACME MFG. CO., Box 3154, Boston, Mass.

AGENTS—Something new; pocket advertising gum labels; write, 1754 6, Boston, Mass.

BIG MONEY; just a few more days to complete the largest exclusive line of advertising fans ever made; write for terms and sample fan; we have a special proposition for agents; we are the only established salesmen wanted. THE KEMPER-THOMAS COMPANY, Fan Department, Cincinnati, O.

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FREE—New booklet telling how you can make several thousand dollars annually handling our full or new lines; valuable information, free. portrait, free. T. HARRISON, 1 Market st., Chicago.

FREE AGENT'S outfit, big profits, sure home raiser and food relishes, great sellers for family trade; exclusive territory; write quick. THE Co., Worcester, Mass.

GOOD AGENTS WANTED. Enquire H. W. NEWTON, room 531, Old South building, 214 Washington st., Boston, Mass.

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MONEY; you lots of it, to our person selling the finest patented household set; you will like it; send now. ALUMINUM MFG. CO., 1 Bedford st., Worcester, Mass.

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WE CAN PROVE that our general agents make $25 per day and upward; we will pay you $100 per month, write to us; don't waste stamps and money on catalogues and circulars; we want to correspond with no person desiring to do one-half his time; if you are sincere write us. THE MONARCH CO., Box R 6004, Cincinnati, O.

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WILL SEND 5 schemes, each a money-maker, with full instructions, 10c. silver. HARVEY STAMPING CO., Boston, Mass.

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A SET of good teeth $4 at DR. WHITTEMORE'S, 74 Boylston st.

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AD WRITER and manager wants position; can furnish references. 32 Hawkins st., Boston.

A YOUNG MAN, 22 years old, wishes position that will pay him a fair salary; can furnish best of references. Address E. RANDOLPH, 170 Summer st., Boston, Mass.

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BOWEN'S 42 Portland st., the place to get all kinds of help, male and female. Telephone 541 4, Hay.

CHAUFFEUR—Young man wants position with private family; 2 years' experience; can give best of references; strictly sober and temperate. Write FRANK POMBRIO, 3 Salem st., Malden, Mass.

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CARPENTER and locksmith wants job in city; references. G. H. A., 43 Falmouth st.

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GOOD YOUNG CLERK and country cutter wants position. G. A. OSBORN, Leominster, Mass.

GROCERY CLERK and meat cutter wants position; references. Address Grocer, 1 Hawkins st., Boston.

RELIABLE colored man wants position; housework or janitor; can furnish best of city and personal references. J. 226, Boston American.

SITUATION wanted as foreman or watchman, 1st class references. Address Foreman, 1 Hawkins st., Boston.

TEMPERATE MAN of 25 would like position of any kind; can furnish best of references. Address Veteran, L 240, Boston American.

WANTED—Position as steward; want position anywhere from July 1 to Oct. 1. Address N 214, Boston American.

YOUNG married man of 23 wishes steady position with good wages; experienced; fair education. Al ref., P 228, Boston American.

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A TRAINED, experienced nurse and housekeeper with an invalid lady, wishes permanent situation with an invalid gentleman; best of references. Address NURSE, 1 Hawkins st., Boston.

A YOUNG GIRL wishes work by the day or hour. MRS. WALDRON, 294 Hanover st., Boston.

COLORED WOMAN would like family washing to do at home; will call for and deliver. Address 15 Osborne ter., Roxbury.

COOK—First-class cook; extra pastry; excellent references; small house, and all right to go home nights. 48 Chestnut st., Boston.

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CAPABLE WOMAN wants work by the day or to take home to do; will go anywhere. 23 Ride Hill av., Roxbury.

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OUR $5.00 OFFER

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1 full quart Holland Gin.....1.00
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1 " " Rum.....1.00
1 " " D. Gordon Sherry 1.00
1 " " Port Wine.....1.00
1 " " Rock and Rye..1.00
1 " " Malt Whiskey..1.00
1 Bottle Martini Cocktail....1.00
" " Manhattan " 1.00
1 " Angelica Wine.....50
1 Full Quart Champagne.....2.50
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Free bottle of wine.

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1 Bottle Medford Rum	1.00
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2 Gallons - - $5.00
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For a most unequaled rum this has no equal. Sold in its original purity and a mighty good value. Bottle of wine free with every order.

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1 Qt. $1.00
4 Qts. $3.50

Easter Box No. 1

Here is a special that is an unusually big value even for us. If you read it carefully you are sure to want it at this price.

$3.50

	Reg. Price
1 Bottle Banquet Rye	$1.00
1 Bottle Special Bourbon	.75
1 Bottle Irish Whiskey	1.00
1 Bottle Duff Gordon Sherry	.50
1 Bottle Belle Madeira	.50
1 Bottle Fine Tokay	.50
1 Bottle Sauterne	.50
1 Bottle Claret	.50
1 Extra Bottle Angelica FREE	$5.25

Easter Box No. 2

We made up this box just for this week. We tried to make it the best we ever offered. We think we succeeded. What do you think?

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1 Bot. Malt Whiskey, 1 Bot. Tokay,
1 Bot. Bourbon Whiskey, 1 Bot. Port,
1 Bot. Rye Whiskey, 1 Bot. Sherry,
1 Bot. Brandy, 1 Bot. White Port,
1 Bot. Rum, 1 Bot. Claret,
1 Bot. Irish Whiskey, 1 Bot. Madeira, Free.

Easter Box No. 3

There's nothing the matter with this. It's a bargain and no mistake. And the price puts it within the reach of all.

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1 Quart McBrayer	.50
1 Quart Greenbrier	1.00
1 Quart Holland Gin	1.00
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1 Bottle Tokay	.50
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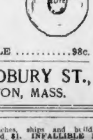

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1 full pt. Whiskey
1 full pt. Rum
1 full pt. Gin
1 full pt. Brandy
All for $1.00

1 full pt. Whiskey
1 full pt. Rum
1 full pt. Gin
1 full pt. Brandy
1 full pt. Port Wine
1 full pt. Sherry Wine
All for $1.25

1 full qt Rye or Bourbon
1 " Rum
1 " California Port
1 " California Sherry
All for $1.50

6 full quarts choice California Wine, your own selection
All for $1.50

1 full qt. Whiskey
1 " Brandy
1 " Rum
1 " Port Wine
1 " Sherry Wine
All for $2.00

4 full qts. Keefe's Copper Distilled Rye or Bourbon, 65c. qt.
For $2.50

1 full qt. Gin
1 " Rum
1 " Whiskey
1 bottle Claret
1 " Port Wine
1 " Sherry
All for $3.00

4 full qts. Keefe's A No. 1 Rye or Bourbon, 75c. qt.
For $3.00

2 full qts. A No. 1 Rye
1 " Gin
1 " Rum
1 " Port Wine
1 " Sherry Wine
All for $3.50

1 qt. Champagne
2 qt. A No. 1 Rye Whiskey
1 bot. Muscatel
1 " White Port
1 " Tokay
1 " No. 2 Tom Gin
1 " Medoc Claret
All for $4.00

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1 " Usher's Scotch
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Send for Price List containing 154 cuts of Bottle Goods. All orders receive prompt attention. All goods are shipped in plain boxes.

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James Watson Scotch	85c
Hunter's Baltimore Rye	85c
Wm. Jameson's Harp Brand	$1.00
Manhattan Champagne, qt	1.00
Cederland's Caloric Punch, qt	1.25

Whiskeys	40c 50c 75c $1.00 and $1.50 pt
Gins	50c 75c $1.00 and $1.50 Qt
Brandies	75c $1.00 $1.25 and $2.00 Qt
Rums	40c 50c 75c $1 and $1.00 Qt
Port Wines	25c 40c 50c 75c and $1.25 Qt

in full quarts. Sherry, Angelica, Muscatel, Madeira at same price.

	Doz. Qts.	Doz. Pts.
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Keefe's Present Use Ale	2.00	1.00
Keefe's Ex Stock Ale	2.00	1.00
Keefe's India Pale Ale	2.00	1.00
Keefe's Philadelphia Ale	2.25	1.10
Keefe's Extra Bass Ale	2.85	1.50
Keefe's Extra London Stout	1.10	.75
Keefe's Extra Dublin Stout	1.50	1.00
Keefe's Extra Brown Stout	1.60	1.00
Keefe's Extra Stout Porter	2.00	1.10
Keefe's Philadelphia Porter	3.25	1.10
Budweiser Beer, per doz		1.15
Anheuser-Busch, per doz		1.15
Pfaff's Lager, per doz		1.20

Rebate of 6c. ea. allowed on lager bottles.
Muir & Son Scotch Ale in jugs, 20c. ea. 2.00 doz.

1 full qt. Irish " " Scotch " " Cal. Brandy " " Ky. Rye " " Grape Juice " " Guinness Stout " " Boiled Cider 6 bot. Narragansett Malt
All for $5.00

4 qts. A No. 1 Rye
2 " Brandy
2 " Port Wine
2 " Sherry
10 full quarts for $5.00

1 qt. Keefe's Cop. Datid.
1 " Rock & Rye
1 " Gin
1 " Rum
1 " Fine Old Brandy
1 bot. Cherry Rum
1 " Port Wine
1 " Sherry Wine
1 " Angelica Wine
1 " Muscatel Wine
1 " Tokayi Wine
1 " Sweet Catawba Wine
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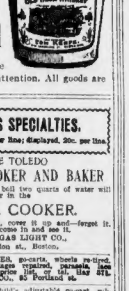

Old Irish Whiskey
In Stone Jug (same as cut) or stone bottle,
$1 Each
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THE solution of the mystery of the ace of hearts only came out several days later, just on the eve of the departure of the Big Show form Boston, when "Wild Dan" Burgess was found dead in his cot with a short, badly spelled note beside him. This note ultimately came into the possession of Police Captain Knott and was closely scrutinized, whereupon it was accepted as true.

Captain Knott only asked one question.

"Who was Dan Burgess?"

"He was an assistant to Stacey," was the reply, "and on those frequent occasions when Stacey was incapacitated by drink he took his place in the show. He was an expert shot, broncho buster and all-round man, but wild, hot-tempered and all that."

That settled the affair. Captain Knott called "Texas Jack" Spalding, Leng Luke Aiken, Stacey and a half-dozen detectives about him and told the story. It was like a page from a novel.

"At first," said Captain Knott to the little gathering, "it appeared absolutely conclusive that Texas Jack did kill the girl. There seemed no question whatever about that, because thousands of people were looking on when he fired and she fell. Subsequent developments, the production of the ace of hearts with the toothpick, and the escape of the prisoner from the jail, seemed to confirm this belief.

Suspicion Falls on Aiken.

"But from the moment Spalding called me up on the 'phone and talked to me about things that I frankly admit I would never have thought of, I have believed him innocent. Then suspicion turned to Aiken. Aiken did several things which were, in themselves, suspicious, and yet it seemed that the worst that could be said of him was that he had tried to convict Spalding when as a matter of fact the evidence was all against Spalding anyway. He supplied a fictitious piece of evidence.

"Then my attention was turned to Stacey. Short inquiries proved that he was asleep when the thing occurred, therefore he could not have had anything to do with the shooting. But Stacey owned the only air-gun in the show. I was beginning to see then that an air gun had been used. Therefore if it was used it was used by someone who could readily lay hands on it. Who? Developments were proving it to be Dan Burgess when we found him dead, a suicide and this note:

The captain produced the note and spread it out on the table. It was scrawled on a piece of wrapping paper with a pencil and was orthographically somewhat remarkable. Here it is:

"To them consarned:

I shot Jane Walden. I done it because I didn't want nowbuddy else ter have her when I couldn't. She throwed down nelle eyemann in the showe, perticluler Luke an Stacey an me. I was in ther kard game that nite an heeard Luke an Jack fussin. That was after she had throwed me down. I figgered that if shee was shott while Jack was a doin his turn it would look tor be sum one ter Hlmm. So I yused Stacey's air-gun. I reckin I was crazie all rite bekawse after that I didn't feel rite so now Im thowin my hand in ther deck an askin for a new deal.

(Signed) DAN BURGESS.

That was all of it. There was a tense silence in the little room when the captain had concluded the painful labor of deciphering the scrawl.

"I can understand it all right," said Texas Jack, with conviction, "the man never lived that could know her and not love her."

"And I reckon that's right," added Aiken, solemnly. "If I'd ever thought that boy did it I'd have let daylight through him all right."

Captain Knott turned to Texas Jack.

"Your freedom is now merely a question of going to the committing magistrate hanging over you, that of jail breaking."

"If I hadn't broken out I'd have gone to the chair," replied the Texan.

"I think under the circumstances that we might waive prosecution on that point," said the captain. "Do you want us to proceed against Aiken here?"

"Who? Luke? No. It's all right."

Rivals Are Reconciled.

Aiken was apparently heedless of this generosity. He was thinking of that man who could more deliberately to murder a girl, taking advantage of a peculiar situation. His blood boiled at the idea.

"I'd like to have him by the neck," he exclaimed suddenly.

"Who?" asked Captain Knott.

"That Dan Burgess," was the reply. He stopped and stared at Texas Jack for a minute. "I rather think I owe you something, too, Jack," he said at last. "We were both at fault in a way, but I went the furthest. Will you let bygones be bygones, and put it there?"

He rose and approached the Texan with outstretched hand. Jack looked at him just a moment and extended his own hand.

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